

WAVERLEY WHISPERS

(32 bar jig for three couples in a four couple set)

BARS	DESCRIPTION
1 – 2	1 st couple set.
3 – 6	1 st couple turn giving right hand and cast off one place. 2 nd couple step up on bars 5 – 6.
7 – 8	1 st couple turn giving left hand to finish in the middle of the set facing the women's side, 1 st woman on her partner's right.
9 – 12	1 st couple lead out between 2 nd and 3 rd women, cross and cast – 1 st woman up around 2 nd woman, 1 st man down around 3 rd woman – to finish 1 st woman between 2 nd couple and 1 st man between 3 rd couple.
13 – 16	All three couples dance a half reel of three across the dance – 1 st woman giving right shoulder to 2 nd man, 1 st man giving left shoulder to 3 rd man.
17 – 20	All three couples dance set and link for three across the dance. The order is now 2, 1, 3 on own side.
21 – 24	All three couples turn giving right hand.
25 – 32	All three couples dance six hands around and back.

Repeat, having passed a couple.

This dance is dedicated to the 'Waverley Whispers' editorial team – Jean Deacon and Margaret and Ross Gawler. The monthly broadsheet 'Waverley Whispers' is required reading for all members of the Waverley Scottish Society and any other dancer lucky enough to get their hands (or their eyes) on a copy.

Suggested Music:

'Flights of Fancy' from 'Celebrate Fifty Years of Dancing with the Boston Branch of the RSCDS' played by Pipes Awa'.