

Hip Hip Hooray!

32-bar jig for three couples in a 4-couple longwise set

- 1-4 1st couple dance in towards each other and cast off to second place. 2nd couple step up on bars 3-4.
- 5-8 1st couple, giving left hands, turn to face first corners.
- 9-12 1st couple and first corners dance half a diagonal reel of four. 1st couple pass each other by the right to face second corners.
- 13-16 1st couple and second corners, giving right hands, turn. Corners dance for four bars; 1st couple pass each other by the right to face first corners in third corner positions.
- 17-20 1st couple and first corners dance half a diagonal reel of four. 1st couple pass each other by the right to face partner's second corner.
- 21-24 1st couple and fourth corners, giving right hands, turn. 1st couple finish in second place on own sides.
- 25-28 1st man dances a half figure of eight round 2nd couple while 1st woman dances a half figure of eight round 3rd couple.
- 29-32 1st woman dances a half figure of eight round 2nd couple while 1st man dances a half figure of eight round 3rd couple.

Repeat, having passed a couple.

Devised by Helen McGinley 2016 for Blair Halliday on his return to dancing after a hip replacement.