

The Bedford Scottish Dance Group

NEWSLETTER

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NEW YEAR CEILIDH



Photo by John Mullett

I'm happy to report that the Ceilidh was as successful and enjoyable as usual. We're sorry that not everyone who wanted tickets got them due to the number restriction and the fact that they sell out quickly. We will try to advertise them more widely next year so that everyone gets a chance.

Our thanks go, as always, to George and Peter Scatterty and to all the people who turned up and helped with the organization – it was a great evening.

p.s. Did anyone leave an 8 inch square, bright yellow Tupperware lid behind? Helen would like to return it!

DEMONSTRATION

It's not often that the team gets invited to an event in a pub but this did happen recently, at the Fox and Hounds in Goldington Road. The occasion was a Burn's Night celebration held by the Bedford Lions Club and turned out to be a fairly riotous and thoroughly enjoyable evening. The floor was something of a hazard as it was part wood and part carpet but fortunately there were no accidents.

Most of the programme was ceilidh dancing with which the Lions joined in enthusiastically, plus a few demos in between.

Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves and George got a `phone call the next day expressing their appreciation.

February Social

Sunday 26th February starting at 8.00pm

OAKLEY VILLAGE HALL

MC Marion Oram

| Duke of Perth | R | A Gin and Tonic | M |
|----------------------|---|--------------------------------|---|
| The Burntisland Jig | J | The Montgomeries` Rant | R |
| Neidpath Castle | S | Oakbank`s Tribute to Christian | J |
| Bratach Bana | R | Culla Bay | S |
| Sound of Cara | J | Tambourine Reel | R |
| Barbara's Strathspey | S | Muirton Bank | S |
| Bonnie Ann | J | Polharrow Burn | R |

Entrance: £2 members £2.50 others.



Saturday 31st March starting at 7.30pm

OAKLEY VILLAGE HALL

MC Joan Sawyer

| Mrs MacPherson of Inveran | R | The Moray Rant | S |
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| The Kelloholm Jig | J | Pulling Bracken | R |
| The Robertson Rant | S | Good Hearted Glasgow | J |
| Reel of the Royal Scots | R | Butterscotch and Honey | S |
| Wild Geese | J | Irish Rover | R |
| Dundee Whaler | S | Follow Me Home | J |
| Saltire Society Reel | R | Mairi's Wedding | R |
| Extras: Scot Meikle | R | Laird of Milton's Daughter | J |

Entrance: £2.50 + a plate of food.

THE BEDFORD SCOTTISH DANCE GROUP

present their





with

Scottish Measure

at 7.30pm on Saturday 19th May 2012

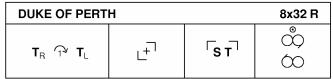
Bedford Girls' School, Cardington Road, Bedford, MK42 0BX

| Festival Fling | R | Culla Bay | S |
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| Napier's Index | J | The Plantation Reel | R |
| The Bonnie Tree | S | The Chequered Court | J |
| Miss Johnstone of Ardrossan | R | The Robertson Rant | S |
| Follow Me Home | J | J B Milne | R |
| The Moray Rant | S | Dundee City Police | J |
| Mairi's Wedding | R | James Senior of St Andrew's | S |
| Quarries Jig | J | Mrs Stuart Linnell | R |
| Wind on Loch Fyne | S | The Ayr Promenade | J |
| Postie's Jig | J | Irish Rover | R |

| To: Alex Lawton, 9 Willington Rd, Cople, Beds, MK44 3TH, Tel. 01234 8 | |
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| Please supply: Tickets at £16.00 each £ | |
| Spectator/Children tickets at £8 | |
| TOTAL: £ | |
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BSDG OAKLEY SOCIAL DANCE Sunday 26 February 2012 m/c: Marion Oram



RSCDS Bk 1, The Ballroom, 1827

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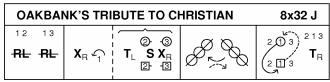
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Bob Beattie, Three Hands Across

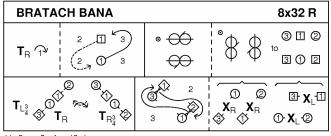
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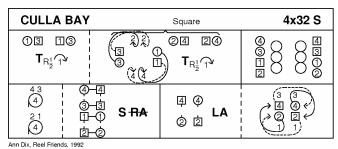
RSCDS Bk 22, Derek Haynes

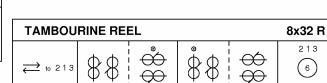


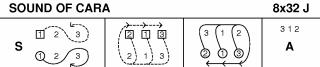
H MacKinnon . Perth Dance Book



John Drewry, Bon Accord Book







M Stacey , Gigha Set

L Bowlen East Ivanhoe Bk

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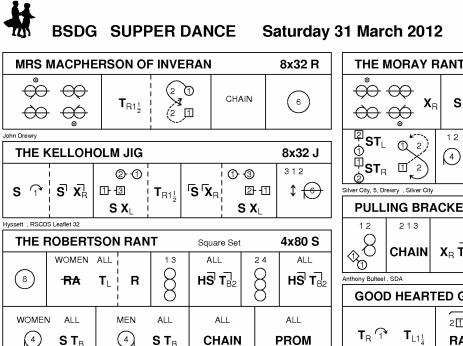
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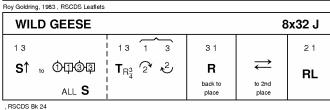
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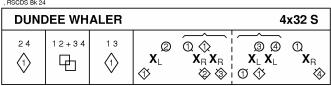


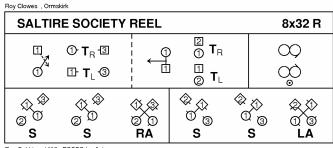
m/c: Joan Sawyer



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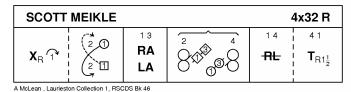






Roy Goldring, 1985 , RSCDS Leaflets

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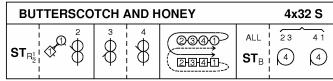
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Peter Knapman , Collins Pocket Reference

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| Jean Attwood , Alexander Leaflets | | | | | |
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James Cosh . 22 SCD & 1 other

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| SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE EVENTS CALENDAR | | Events in the Bedford Area | | | | | |
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| Date | Host | Event | Band | Venue | Town | Contact | Telephone |
| Sat, 04 Feb,2012 | Cambridge RSCDS & CUSRC | Winter Record Dance | recorded | Emmanuel URC, Trumpington St | Cambridge | Jacqui Brocker | 07916 892611 |
| Sat, 04 Feb,2012 | Silver Cross DG | | Silver Cross | Memorial Hall | Wheathampstead | Chris Walker | 01727 822143 |
| Fri, 10 Feb,2012 | S E Herts SCDS | Dance Night | Recorded | Sele School, SG14 2DG | Hertford | Peter Dixon | 01920 462213 |
| Sat, 11 Feb,2012 | Berkhamsted SRC | 60th Highland Ball | Sandy Nixon | Ashlyns Sch | Berkhamsted | Janet Halse | 01442 246381 |
| Sat, 11 Feb,2012 | Cambridge SS | Beginners Dance | Recorded | Community School, CB23 7RE | Hardwick | Kathryn Coles | 01223 233191 |
| Sat, 11 Feb,2012 | Huntingdon DCS | Social | Recorded | Brampton Memorial Centre, PE28 4TB | Huntingdon | Helen Hale | 01480 382587 |
| Sat, 11 Feb,2012 | Market Harborough SCDS | Dance | Recorded | Congregational Church Hall, Bowden Lane | Market Harborough | Sally Gardiner | 01858 464247 |
| Sat, 18 Feb,2012 | Leicester RSCDS | Charity Dance | Recorded | Avenue Rd School, LE2 3EJ? | Leicester | Doris Buchanan | 0116 2415857 |
| Sat, 18 Feb,2012 | Oxfordshire RSCDS | Day School & Dance | Finlay, Tucker, Strathallan | Headington Sch, OX3 7TD | Oxford | Richard Stamper | 01805 724389 |
| Sat, 18 Feb,2012 | Hertsmere RC | | Recorded | Chartenan Callera | Potters Bar | Mary Fouracre | 0208 367 4201 |
| Sat, 25 Feb,2012 | Oxford & Cambridge Highland Ball | | Green Ginger | Chesterton College, | Cambridge | Edmund Croft | 07837 648198 |
| Sat, 25 Feb,2012 | Wembley & District SA Bedford SDG | Social Dance | Craigellachie | Eastman's Hall, | Harrow | Patricia Hamilton | 020 8866 2841 |
| Sun, 26 Feb,2012 Sat, 03 Mar,2012 | Harpenden SCDC | Annual Ball | Recorded Frank Reid | Oakley VH, MK43 7RJ Public Halls | Bedford Harpenden | Alex Lawton Val Owens | 01234 831036 01727 863870 |
| Sat, 03 Mar,2012 | Stamford SCDC | Spring Dance | Silver Cross | Queen Eleanor School | Stamford | Christine | 01727 863870 |
| Sat, 03 Mar,2012 | Norwich RSCDS | Spring Dance | Recorded | High Sch, Folly Road | Wymondham | Marean Daniels | 01603 503515 |
| Fri, 09 Mar,2012 | S E Herts SCDS | Dance Night | Silver Cross | Sele School, SG14 2DG | Hertford | Peter Dixon | 01920 462213 |
| Sat, 10 Mar,2012 | Leicester RSCDS | Day School | Irene Bennet & Doris Buchanan | Avenue Rd School, LE2 3EJ? | Leicester | Doris Buchanan | 0116 2415857 |
| Sat, 10 Mar,2012 | Milton Keynes RSCDS | Annual Ball | Glencraig SCDB | Lovat Hall MK16 0EJ | Newport Pagnell | Jan Jones | 07877 153259 |
| Sat, 10 Mar,2012 | Hertsmere RC | Aimear bail | Recorded | LOVAL I IAII IVIIL IO OLO | Potters Bar | Mary Fouracre | 0208 367 4201 |
| Sat, 17 Mar,2012 | Watford & West Herts SS | Caledonian Ball | Luke Brady | Allum Hall, WD6 3PJ | Elstree | Stuart Kreloff | 01923 492475 |
| Sat, 17 Mar,2012 | Huntingdon DCS | Social | 25.10 2.40, | Hemingford Abbots VH | Huntingdon | Helen Hale | 01480 382587 |
| Sat, 24 Mar,2012 | Harrow & District CS | | David Hall | | Eastcote | Jim Henderson | 020 8954 2586 |
| Sat, 24 Mar,2012 | Harlow & District CS | | Silver Cross | CM17 0AT | Harlow | Catherine Barnett | 01279 651270 |
| Sun, 25 Mar,2012 | The Sunday Class | Annual Dance | Nicol McLaren | Village Hall, LE14 4AG | Waltham on the Wolds | Amanda Peart | 01778 560433 |
| Sat, 31 Mar, 2012 | North Herts RC | | Recorded | Central Methodist Hall | Letchworth | Jennifer Warburton | 01462 812691 |
| Sat, 31 Mar,2012 | Bedford SDG | Supper Dance | Recorded | Oakley VH, MK43 7RJ | Bedford | Alex Lawton | 01234 831036 |
| Sat, 07 Apr,2012 | Silver Cross DG | | Silver Cross | Memorial Hall | Wheathampstead | Chris Walker | 01727 822143 |
| Sat, 14 Apr,2012 | Huntingdon DCS | Annual Ball | Chris Dewhurst | Commem Hall | Huntingdon | Helen Hale | 01480 382587 |
| Sat, 14 Apr,2012 | Leicester RSCDS | | Calum Mitchell | Avenue Rd School, LE2 3EJ? | Leicester | Doris Buchanan | 0116 2415857 |
| Sat, 14 Apr,2012 | Lucy Clark SCDC | | Silver Cross | Village Hall | Prestwood | Dick Field | 01494 562231 |
| Fri, 20 Apr,2012 | S E Herts SCDS | Dance Night | Recorded | Sele School, SG14 2DG | Hertford | Peter Dixon | 01920 462213 |
| Sat, 21 Apr,2012 | Hertsmere RC | | Recorded | | Potters Bar | Mary Fouracre | 0208 367 4201 |
| Sat, 28 Apr,2012 | Marlow | Spring Dance | K.Martlew & B.Manning | Liston Hall, Marlow, SL7 1DD | Marlow | Sandra Garey | 01628 520543 |
| Sat, 05 May,2012 | Cambridge SS | Annual Ball | Danelaw | Impington Village College, CB4 9LX | Cambridge | Dr Donald Wilson | 01954 210683 |
| Sat, 05 May,2012 | Silver Cross DG | | Silver Cross | Memorial Hall | Wheathampstead | Chris Walker | 01727 822143 |
| Fri, 11 May,2012 | S E Herts SCDS | Dance Night | Recorded | Sele School, SG14 2DG | Hertford | Peter Dixon | 01920 462213 |
| Sat, 12 May,2012 | Cambridge RSCDS | Tea Dance | Described | Chesterton Comm. Coll. | Cambridge | Jacqui Brocker | 07916 892611 |
| Sat, 12 May,2012 | Corby SCDC Norwich RSCDS | Annual Dance Annual Ball | Recorded Marian Anderson | Lligh Coh, Folky Dood | Corby | Marion Oram Marean Daniels | 07790 303647 01603 503515 |
| Sat, 12 May,2012 Sat, 19 May,2012 | Bedford SDG | Annual Ball | Scottish Measure | High Sch, Folly Road Bedford Girls' School, MK42 0BX | Wymondham Bedford | Alex Lawton | 01234 831036 |
| Sat, 19 May,2012 | Berkhamsted SRC | Spring Dance | Craigievar | Boxmoor Playhouse. | Hemel Hempstead | Janet Halse | 01442 246381 |
| Sat, 19 May,2012 | Hertsmere RC | Spring Dance | Recorded | Boxillool Flayilouse, | Potters Bar | Mary Fouracre | 0208 367 4201 |
| Sat, 02 Jun,2012 | Market Harborough SCDS | | Danelaw | | Market Harborough | Connie Elphick | 01455 209446 |
| Sat, 02 Jun,2012 | Silver Cross DG | | Silver Cross | Memorial Hall | Wheathampstead | Chris Walker | 01727 822143 |
| Wed, 06 Jun,2012 | Harrow & District CS | | Karl Sandeman | Wellonarial | North Harrow | Jim Henderson | 020 8954 2586 |
| Sun, 10 Jun,2012 | Cambridge RSCDS | Open Air Dance | Nan Candoman | Anglesea Abbey | Cambridge | Jacqui Brocker | 07916 892611 |
| Sun, 10 Jun,2012 | Gerrards Cross SCDC | Afternoon dance | Manning & Martlew | 7 tilgle 3 ca 7 to 5 c y | Gerrards Cross | Celia Stuart-Lee | 01753 884217 |
| Fri, 15 Jun,2012 | S E Herts SCDS | Dance Night | Recorded | Sele School, SG14 2DG | Hertford | Peter Dixon | 01920 462213 |
| Sat, 16 Jun,2012 | Hertsmere RC | J | Recorded | • | Potters Bar | Mary Fouracre | 0208 367 4201 |
| Sat, 23 Jun,2012 | Cambridge SS | Summer Dance | Fiddle & Accordion Club | Girton Glebe School, CB3 0PN | Cambridge | Kathryn Coles | 01223 233191 |
| Sat, 23 Jun,2012 | Milton Keynes RSCDS | Picnic Dance | recorded | Bradwell Village Hall | Milton Keynes | Jan Jones | 07877 153259 |
| Sun, 24 Jun,2012 | Bedford SDG | Social Dance & AGM | Recorded | Oakley VH, MK43 7RJ | Bedford | Alex Lawton | 01234 831036 |
| Thu, 28 Jun,2012 | Watford & West Herts SS | | tba | WD23 1TT | Bushey | Stuart Kreloff | 01923 492475 |
| Sat, 07 Jul,2012 Sat, 21 Jul,2012 | Silver Cross DG Hertsmere RC | | Silver Cross Recorded | | St Albans Potters Bar | Chris Walker Mary Fouracre | 01727 822143 0208 367 4201 |
| Sat, 21 Jul,2012 Sat, 11 Aug,2012 | Leicester RSCDS | | Recorded | Glenfield Ch Hall, LE3 8DP | Leicester | Doris Buchanan | 0116 2415857 |
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