

BATTLE CREEK BREEZE

8 x 32 Bar Reel for three couples in a four couple longwise set.

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Recommended Music: Arthur's Seat, from the CD "Many Happy Returns" by Hanneke Cassel & David Wiesler.

- 1 – 8 1st Couple set for 2 bars, turn partner by the right hand for 2 bars, cast to 2nd place in 2 bars, cross with left hand to opposite side of the dance (finish facing out the side of the set. 2nd couple steps up on 5 and 6.
- 9 – 16 Full three couple mirror reel on the side with 1st Couple starting going down the set (1st man passing right shoulder with 3rd lady and 1st lady passing left should with 3rd man).
- 17 – 24 1st Couple set, petronella, set and petronella back to own side of the dance.

Meanwhile:

- 25 – 32 1st Couple advance setting for 2, turn with both hands for 2, dance out the bottom and cast up around 3rd place to 2nd place ready to begin again.
- 25 – 32 2nd and 3rd Couples facing up and down the set do full rights and lefts.

Dance inspiration:

Four Flying Ghillies SCD members were returning home after attending the Alma Michigan Highland Games and enjoying dancing with some old and new friends. We stopped at a rest area just east of Battle Creek, Michigan for a little break. We sat at a picnic table to enjoy a soda and the beautiful weather. As we talked, the breeze started moving the empty cans on the table. We were able to identify dance formations as the cans "danced" on the table.