SEA SHANTY SHENANIGANS

Choreographer: CountryVive

Description: 48 counts, 1 wall, Advanced Line Dance **Music:** Wellerman (Sea Shanty) by Nathan Evans

Intro: 4 counts (00:....)

A 32 Counts - B 16 Counts Sequence AAB, AAB, AAB

Part A

[1-8] SYNCOPATED DOROTHY STEPS, ROCKING CHAIR, HEEL JACK

1&2&3&4 Step RF to R diagonal, close LF behind RF, Step RF in place, Step LF to L diagonal, close RF behind LF, Step LF in place, Stomp RF to R diagonal (face 1.30)

Facing 1.30, rock LF across RF, recover weight to RF, Facing 1.30, rock LF back, recover weight to RF Squaring up to 12.00, cross LF over RF, step RF a small step to the R side, touch L heel to L diagonal

[9-16] & CROSS, KNEE POP, 1/4 TRIPLE, 1/4 SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, FULL TURN, SIDE AND HITCH

&1 Close LF to RF, Cross RF over LF (as you cross, bring both hands in to stomach)

Raise heels (click both hands out to side), drop heels (bring both hands back to stomach)

3&4 Make ½ turn to L (face 9.00) as you fwd triple, stepping L, R, L

5,6 Make ¼ turn to L (face 6.00) as you rock RF to R side. Recover weight to L foot, taking L shoulder fwd to prep for a turn

&7-8 Make a full turn clockwise (over R shoulder), closing RF to LF, Step LF to L side, Close RF to LF as you hitch your L knee, slapping L thigh with R hand

[17-24] HITCH TRIPLES TRAVELLING BACK, ROGER RABBITS, BALL STEP, STOMP, STOMP

1&2 Let the L knee rotate to L as you step back on LF, step RF in place, step LF in place and hitch R knee

Let the R knee rotate to R as you step back on RF, step LF in place, step RF in place

&5&6 Kick LF back, step back onto LF as you hitch R knee slightly, Kick RF back, step back onto RF as you hitch L knee slightly

&7&8 Step back onto the ball of LF, step RF forward, Stomp LF to L diagonal, Stomp RF to R side

*Optional arms for counts 1-7 - 'sailor' arms (arms bent at elbows, at chest height, with R arms placed over L arm)

[25-32] CLOSE, LEG FLICKS WITH ½ TURN R, BALL, ½ PIVOT TURN, 1/2 TURN, ¼ SLIDE TO R, ¼ TURN WITH HITCH

1& Close LF to RF as you flick RF up to R side (keep knees together) (1), press weight fwd onto ball of RF (&) (6.00)
2& Recover weight to L and make ¼ turn to R as you flick RF across L knee (2), press weight fwd onto ball of RF (&)

(9.00)

3& Recover weight to L and make ¼ turn to R as you flick RF up to R side (keep knees together) (1), press weight fwd onto ball of RF (&)

Take weight back to LF (12.00), Rock weight back onto ball of RF, step fwd on LF

6&7-8 ½ pivot turn to R taking weight to RF (6.00), Make ½ turn R stepping back on LF, make ¼ turn R sliding RF a large step to R side (9.00), Make a ¼ turn to R, close LF to RF and hitch R knee (6.00)

Part B

[1-8] STEP FWD, FLICK, STEP BACK, FLICK, STEP HITCH SIDE, SLAP/CLAP SECTION

1&2& Step RF fwd, flick LF up behind R knee (slap foot with R hand), Step LF back, flick RF up under L knee (slap R ankle with L hand)

3&4 Step RF to R diagonal, hitch L knee, step LF to L side

(Arms: Cross R arm over L arm 'sailor' style (3), hit backs of palms together (&), Slap both hands on thighs (4)

5&6& Hit L thigh with L hand (5), hit back of L hand with R hand (&), Hit L thigh with L hand (6), hit R thigh with R hand

a7 Hit back of R hand with L hand (a), Hit R thigh with R hand (7)

&a8 Hit L thigh with L hand (e) clap both hands together at chest height (&) Slap both thighs with both hands (8) (12.00)

[9-16] & HEEL GRIND, SWEEPS BACK, ROCK RECOVER, SKIP TURN

&1-2 Step LF a small step towards center, Heel grid R heel (1), take weight to LF

3-4 Step back on RF sweeping LF from front to back, Step back on LF sweeping RF from front to back

(Optional arms on sweeps: swing arms from side to side)

5-6 Rock RF back, recover weight to LF

&7&8 Hitch R knee with a slight hop (&), make ½ turn L stepping back on RF, Hitch L knee with a slight hop (&), make ½ turn L stepping LF fwd (12.00)

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