

# Wellerman Shanty Reel

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**Count:** 64      **Wall:** 2      **Level:** Improver

**Choreographer:** Helen Parkyn - March 2021

**Music:** - Nathan Evans, 220 KID & Billen Ted

**Immediate start with music on the word 'ONCE' (the REMIX is faster than the original shorter)**

## **[1 - 8] HEEL GRIND TURNS AND COASTERS**

- 1, 2, 3&4 -** Dig right heel forward, grind heel making 1/4 turn right (weight returning onto left foot, 3.00), right coaster (step back right, close left beside, step forward right)
- 5, 6, 7&8 -** Dig left heel forward, grind heel making 1/4 turn left (weight returning onto right foot, 12.00), left coaster (step back left, close right beside, step forward left)

## **[9 - 16] SHUFFLE FORWARD RIGHT, LEFT, STEP FORWARD, PIVOT 1/2 LEFT TO 6.00, SHUFFLE FORWARD RIGHT**

- 9&10, 11&12 -** Shuffle forward right (step forward right, close left, step forward right), shuffle forward left (step forward left, close right, step forward left)

**\*\*\*optional - arms crossed across front of chest and roll with shuffles like on a boat\*\*\***

- 13, 14, 15&16 -** Step forward right, pivot 1/2 turn left (6.00), shuffle forward right (step forward right, close left, step forward right)

## **[17 - 24] HEEL GRIND TURNS AND COASTERS**

- 17, 18, 19&20 -** Dig left heel forward, grind heel making 1/4 turn left (weight returning onto right foot, 3.00), left coaster (step back left, close right beside, step forward left)
- 21, 22, 23&24 -** Dig right heel forward, grind heel making 1/4 turn right (weight returning onto left foot, 6.00), right coaster (step back right, close left beside, step forward right)

## **[25 -32] SHUFFLE FORWARD LEFT, RIGHT, STEP FORWARD, PIVOT 1/2 RIGHT TO 12.00, SHUFFLE FORWARD LEFT**

- 25&26, 27&28 -** Shuffle forward left (step forward left, close right, step forward left), shuffle forward right (step forward right, close left, step forward right)

**\*\*\*optional - arms crossed across front of chest and roll with shuffles like on a boat\*\*\***

**29, 30, 31&32** - Step forward left, pivot 1/2 turn right (12.00), shuffle forward left (step forward left, close right, step forward left)

**[33 - 40] HEEL HITCH WITH SLAPS CLAP AND SIDE SHUFFLES (CHASSES)**

**33&34&** -dig right heel forward, hitch right knee slapping right hand downwards on side of right thigh, slap right hand upwards on side of right thigh, clap

**35&36** -right side shuffle (step right to right side, close left beside right, step right to right side)

**37&38&** -dig left heel forward, hitch left knee slapping left hand downwards on side of left thigh, slap left hand upwards on side of left thigh, clap

**39&40** -left side shuffle (step left to left side, close right beside left, step left to left side)

**[41 - 48] 3 X SAILOR STEPS (RIGHT, LEFT, RIGHT) CROSS LEFT BEHIND, UNWIND 1/2 LEFT (6.00)**

**41&42, 43&44** -right sailor (cross right behind left, step left to side, close right beside left), left sailor (cross left behind right, step right to side, close left beside right)

**45&46, 47, 48** -right sailor (cross right behind left, step left to side, close right beside left), cross left behind right, unwind 1/2 turn left (6.00)

**[49 - 56] HEEL HITCH WITH SLAPS CLAP AND SIDE SHUFFLES (CHASSES)**

**49&50&** -dig right heel forward, hitch right knee slapping right hand downwards on side of right thigh, slap right hand upwards on side of right thigh, clap

**51&52** -right side shuffle (step right to right side, close left beside right, step right to right side)

**53&54&** -dig left heel forward, hitch left knee slapping left hand downwards on side of left thigh, slap left hand upwards on side of left thigh, clap

**55&56** -left side shuffle (step left to left side, close right beside, step left to left side)

**[57 - 64] 2 X SAILORS, STEP, PIVOT 1/2 TURN RIGHT(12.00), STEP, 1/2 TURN (6.00), TOUCH**

**57&58, 59&60 -right sailor (cross right behind left, step left to left side, close right beside left), left sailor (cross left behind right, step right to right side, close left beside right)**

**61, 62, -step forward right, pivot 1/2 turn left (12.00),**

**63&64 -step forward right, make 1/2 turn right (6.00) stepping back left, touch right beside left**

**Begin again and have fun ..... remember to roll with the boat**

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