

River Runs Wild

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Count: 32

Wall: 2

Level: High Improver

Choreographer: Roy Verdonk (NL) & Ivonne Verhagen (NL) - August 2026

Music: River Runs Wild - Dustaro

Intro: 64 counts (approx. 31 sec) on vocals

OPTION: 64-count intro: Link arms with your neighbours and turn around together, just like in the Birdie Dance.

S1 DIAGONAL SHUFFLE, ¼ TURN DIAGONAL SHUFFLE BACK, ¼ TURN, DIAGONAL SHUFFLE, ¼ TURN DIAGONAL SHUFFLE BACK,

1&2(start the dance 1.30) Step RF forward, close LF to RF, Step RF forward (1:30)

3&4¼ turn right & step LF back, close RF to LF, step LF back (4:30)

5&6¼ turn right & step RF forward, close LF to RF, Step RF forward (7:30)

7&8¼ turn right & step LF back, close RF to LF, step LF back (10:30)

S2 1/8 TURN & SHUFFLE SIDE, CROSS ROCK STEP, BIG STEP SIDE, BEHIND & CROSS

1&21/8 turn right & step RF side, close LF to RF, Step RF side (12:00)

3&4 Cross rock LF over RF, recover on RF

5-6LF big step side, drag RF to LF (weight stays on LF)

7&8 Cross RF behind LF, step LF side, Cross RF over LF

**** Restart/Step change in wall 5**

S3 ¼ TURN (R) SCISSOR STEP, KICK BALL TOUCH & WALK, WALK, ROCK STEP

1&2¼ turn right & step LF back, close RF to LF, step LF forward (3:00)

3&4& Kick RF forward, step down on RF, LF touch toe forward, step down on ball of LF

5-6RF step forward, LF step forward

7-8 Rock RF forward, recover on LF

S4 ¼ TURN (R) , POINT SIDE, ¼ TURN (L), ¼ TURN (L), BEHIND, SIDE, STEP 1/8 TURN (R), PIVOT ½ TURN (L)

1,2¼ turn right & Step RF side, Point left toe to the side (6:00)

3,4¼ turn left & step LF forward, ¼ turn left & step RF side (12:00)

5&6cross LF behind RF, RF step side, 1/8 turn right & step LF forward

7-8 Step RF forward, ½ turn left & weight on LF (7:30)

**** Restart/Step change in wall 5**

Change count 8 of section 2 into a touch

***** Tag after wall 2 & 7**

ROCKING CHAIR

1-4RF rock forward, recover on LF, RF rock back, recover on LF