

BLUE MONDAY

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RECORD: "Blue Monday" - SIO 3152 (May be speeded as desired)  
POSITION: OPEN-FACING for INTRO; OPEN POSITION, facing LOD for DANCE  
FOOTWORK: Opposite; directions for M except as noted

MEASURES

INTRODUCTION

- 1-4 WAIT; WAIT; APART,-,POINT,-; TOG(to OP),-,TCH,-;  
Wait 2 meas in OP-fcg M's bk to COH; Step apart on L,-, pt R twd ptr,-; Step tog on R to OP fcg LOD,-, tch L to R,-.

DANCE - PART A

- 1-4 ROCK FWD,-,RECOV,-; (Hitch bwd)BK,CLOSE,FWD,-; ROCK FWD,-,RECOV,-;  
(Hitch bwd)BK,CLOSE,FWD(Face),-;  
In OP fcg LOD rock fwd on L,-, recover on R,-; Step bk L, close R, step fwd L,-; Rock fwd R,-, recover on R,-; Step bk R, close R, step fwd R turning to face ptr in LOOSE-CP M's bk twd COH,-.
- 5-8 VINE,2,3,4; SIDE,DRAW,-,CLOSE; (½ Box)SIDE,CLOSE,FWD,-; SIDE,CLOSE,CROSS(SCar),-;  
Do a 4-step vine LOD L,R,L,R (both XIB, XIF); Step swd LOD on L, draw R to L slowly in 2 cts, close R to L; Step swd L, close R, step fwd L,-; Step swd in RLOD on R, close L to R, XRIB of L (W XIF) turning ¼ RF to SCar M facing RLOD.
- 9-12 BWD TWO-STEP; BWD TWO-STEP(to Bjo); BK TURN,CLOSE,FWD(to SCP),-;FWD TWO-STEP(CO);  
In SCar M fcg RLOD do a bwd two-step in LOD L,R,L,-; Do another bwd two-step in LOD adjusting to BJO R,L,R,-; M step bwd twd COH on L starting LF turn, close R to L completing LF turn to face LOD, step fwd L to SCP (W does a fwd two-step with small steps),-; Do a fwd two-step R,L,R blending to OP fcg LOD,-.
- 13-24 REPEAT ACTION OF MEAS 1-12 EXCEPT TO END IN BFLY POS M's BK COH ON LAST COUNT.

PART B

- 25-28 FWD,LOCK,FWD,LOCK; FWD,-,STEP TURN(to BK-TO-BK),LOCK; STEP,LOCK,STEP TURN(Face),-;  
PIVOT(RF),-,2,(to Bfly)-;  
In Bfly M's bk COH with contra body step fwd LOD on L, lock RXIB (W XIF), fwd L, lock RXIB (W XIF); Step fwd slow L,-, drop lead hands & bring trailing hands thru step fwd R to slight BK-TO-BK, lock LXIB (W XIB); Fwd R, lock LXIB(W XIB), step fwd slow R turning in to face ptr in CP,-; Do a slow RF cpl pivot L,-,R to end in BFLY M facing LOD,-.
- 29-32 REPEAT ACTION OF MEAS 25-28 EXCEPT TO END IN SCP FACING LOD.

PART C

- 33-36 FWD TWO-STEP; FWD TWO-STEP(to LOOSE-CP); FWD BUZZ,2,3,4; 5,6,7,8(to SCP);  
In SCP do 2 fwd two-steps L,R,L,-; R,L,R,- to end in LOOSE-CP M's bk COH; Step swd in LOD on L & buzz using the L ft as a pivot & with a slight rocking motion (swd L, push with R, in place L, push with R); Continue buzz as in Meas 35 completing a full RF turn in 2 meas to end in SCP facing LOD.
- 37-40 REPEAT ACTION OF MEAS 33-36.
- 41-44 WALK,-,2,-; PIVOT(RF),-,2,-; WALK,-,2,-; PIVOT(RF),-,2(to OP),-;  
In SCP walk fwd LOD L,-,R,-; Take CP & do a full RF cpl pivot L,-,R to end in SCP fcg LOD,-; Repeat action of Meas 41-42 to end in OP fcg LOD.

SEQUENCE: INTRO - A - B - C - A - TAG.

- TAG: FWD TWO-STEP; FWD TWO-STEP; VINE,2,3,4; SIDE,DRAW,-,CLOSE; -,-,APART,POINT;  
In SCP do 2 fwd two-steps LOD L,R,L,-; R,L,R to end in LOOSE-CP M's bk COH,-; Do a 4-step vine in LOD L,R,L,R (both XIB, XIF); Step swd LOD on L, slowly draw R to L in 2 cts,-, close R to L; Hold 2 cts,, step apart on L, point R twd ptr & acknowledge.