Merry Go Round

Choreographer: Rose Haven
One Wall, Low Impact/ Line Dance
32 Counts (Note: this dance is done in “half-time” to the music, so it will feel slow)
Music: It’s A Merry Go Round By Scooter Lee from her Puttin’ On The Ritz CD
Music available from Scooter Lee: 800-531-4379 or 404-634-9547 or 404-634-1726 fax
Website for Scooter Lee: www.scooterlee.com
Step Description by Rose Haven (404-379-1213) or Rose@AtlantaLineDance.com
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Note: Start dance after 8 counts of music, just before vocals start.

Four Walks (or Struts) Forward; Right Side Tap, Step – Left Side Tap, Step
1,2 Step forward with the right foot; Step forward with the left foot
3,4 Step forward with the right foot; Step forward with the left foot
5 Point/Tap right toe to right side (while right hand, palm facing side, pushes to right side)
6 Step right foot next to left foot; (while hand comes down)
7 Point/Tap left toe to left side (while left hand, palms facing side, pushes to left side);
8 Step on left foot next to right foot (while hand comes down)

4 Walks (or Struts) Back: Right Side Tap, Step – Left Side Tap, Step
1,2 Step back on the right foot; Step back on the left foot
3,4 Step back on the right foot; Step back on the left foot
5 Point/Tap right toe to right side (while right hand, palm facing side, pushes to right side)
6 Step right foot next to left foot; (while hand comes down)
7 Point/Tap left toe to left side (while left hand, palms facing side, pushes to left side);
8 Step on left foot next to right foot (while hand comes down)

Modified Charleston’s
1,2 Touch right toe forward (or kick right foot forward), Step right foot back;
3,4 Touch left toe back; Step left foot forward;
5,6,7,8 Repeat above 4 steps
(Optional: Swing your arms forward and back, naturally, as when you walk)

Hand Pushes Up, to Right, Left, Forward, Clap Hands 3 Times
1,2 Push both hands up and to right twice (optional: tap right toe (1) and step on right (2))
3,4 Push both hands up and to left twice (optional: tap left toe (3) and step on left (4))
5,6 Push both hands forward in front of chest (palms facing front) (optional: tap right toe twice)
7&8 Clap hands - three times ! (and be sure weight is on left foot)

Start dance again from beginning!

Note: This dance is a Dancing for The Dream ® Starter Dance 2003