

# The Balboa Park Rant

32-bar reel for four couples in a four couple longwise set

Bars	Description
1-4	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> men take hands and slip step down to 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> place while 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> men take hands and slip step up ( <b>behind</b> 1M and 2M) to 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place. All men take hands and set. <b>meanwhile</b> All women take hands and set, then 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> women retain hands and slip step down to 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> place while 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> women retain hands and slip step ( <b>behind</b> 1W and 2W) to finish in 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place.
5-8	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> couples cast back up to original places and finish in the center ready for allemande <b>while</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> couples slip step back to original places (5-6), step in on bar 8 ready for allemande.
9-16	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> couples dance a 2-couple allemande <b>while</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> couple and a 2-couple allemande. Finish in order 2, 1, 4, 3.
17-24	1 <sup>st</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> couples dance 6 bars of rights and lefts (2, 4, 1, 3) and all couples set on the sides.
25-32	All couples dance eight hands round and back.

Repeat, from new positions.

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Suggested music: "The Shetland Fiddler" Campbell's Birl Muriel Johnstone & Keith Smith