



## MAPLE LEAF STOMP

**FORMATION:** Double circle dance of partners facing each other with both hands joined. Boys have backs to the centre of the circle.

### PART 1:

#### COUNTS

1 - 4 Couples move towards the centre of the circle. Boys moving backwards and starting on the left foot. Girls move forward starting on the right foot. Take 3 walking steps and stamp on the fourth count.

5 - 8 Repeat with the opposite foot and in the opposite direction

9 - 12 Repeat first four counts

13 - 16 Boys stand clapping hands and girls turn in place 4 steps.(or both turn in place)

1 - 12 Repeat dance from beginning except couples begin by moving away from the centre of the circle

13 - 16 Girls stand clapping hands and boys turn in places 4 steps.(or both turn in place)

### PART 2:

#### COUNTS

1 - 8 Boys stand in place and clap hands. Girls take 8 sliding steps to the left around the outside of circle

9 - 16 Girls reverse direction taking 8 sliding steps to the right passing their original partner and going onto the next person

17 - 32 Join hands with new partner and promenade counter clockwise around the circle. The skaters hold is customary. Right hands joined above, left hands below, while standing side by side.

Dance begins again with a new partner

