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TUNE GUIDE

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BREAKDOWNS

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 Alfies Hornpipe
 Angus Campbell
 Apple Blossom
 Ariel Hornpipe
 Arkansas Traveler

Banks Hornpipe
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 Big John McNeil
 Bag Taters in Sandy Land
 Bill Cheatum
 Billy in the Low Ground
 Bitter Creek
 Blackberry Blossom
 Blanchard's Hornpipe
 Blind River
 Blue Eagle
 Bonnie Kate
 Boil the Cabbage
 Brandywine
 Brilliancy
 Butterfly Hornpipe
 Byrnes Hornpipe

Cape Blomiden
 Casey Jones
 Cattle in the Cane
 Chicken Reel
 Chief Sitting Bull
 Choctaw
 Chuck in the Bush (Shucken)
 Cincinnati Hornpipe
 Cold Rolled Steel
 College Hornpipe
 Coming Down from Denver
 Constitution Hornpipe
 Cotton Eyed Joe (Tex/Western)
 Cricket on the Hearth
 Cripple Creek
 Cuckoo's Nest
 Cumberland Gap

Dancing Bear
 Devils's Dream
 Dew Drop Hornpipe
 Dominion Hornpipe
 Done Gone
 Drowsy Maggie
 Dundee's Hornpipe

Durang's Hornpipe
 Durham's Bull
 Dusty's Hornpipe
 Dusty Miller
 Dusty Road

Early Rising
 Eighth of January

Fisher's Hornpipe
 Forester's Hornpipe
 Forked Deer
 Fort Smith
 Fourty-Nine Cats in a Rain Barrel

Garfield Hornpipe
 Gatineau Reel
 General Longstreet's Reel
 George Booker
 Georgia Camp Meet
 Gin Rickshaw Hornpipe (Jinriksha)
 Give the Fiddler a Dram
 Gold Rush
 Growling Old Man and Woman

Harvest Home
 Hell Among the Moonshiners
 Hell Among the Yearlings
 Herman's Hornpipe
 High Level Hornpipe
 Hot Springs
 Huckleberry Hornpipe
 Hummingbird Reel

Indianola Hornpipe

Jack of Diamonds
 June Apple

Key West

Laughing Boy
 Leather Britches
 Liberty
 Little Bertha
 Little Brown Jug
 Little Joe
 Liverpool Hornpipe
 Lost Indian

Man in the Woodpile
 Maple Leaf Reel

Marching Through Georgia
 McCormick's Hornpipe
 Miller's Reel
 Miss McLeod's Reel
 Mississippi Sawyer
 Molly Bloom
 Money Musk
 Morpeth Hornpipe
 Murphy's Hornpipe

Natchez Under the Hill
 Nimrod's Hornpipe

Old French
 Old Joe Clark
 Old Sport
 Old Strawbonnet
 Opera Reel
 Ostinella's Hornpipe

Pacific Slope
 Paddy on the Turnpike
 Peerless Hornpipe
 Peaches and Honey (Cream)
 Pink Eyed Lassie
 Polecat Hornpipe
 Possum Up a Gum Stump (Speed)

Queen of the West

Rabbit Where's Your Mammy
 Rachel
 Rachety Jack Reel
 Ragtime Annie
 Randall's Hornpipe
 Redbird Hornpipe
 Red Haired Boy
 Red Lion
 Rickett's Hornpipe
 Run Boy Run
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Sailor's Hornpipe
 St. Anne's Reel
 Salem Hornpipe
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 Say Ole Man

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Sumner's Hornpipe
Sunnyside

Tam Lin
Temperance Reel
Tennessee Wagoner
The last of Callahan
Tom and Jerry
Trafalgar
Tugboat
Turkey in the Straw
Twin Reel
Waggoner
Wagoner Hornpipe
Walk Along John
Waynesboro Reel
Westmoreland Hornpipe
When the Wind Shakes the Barley
Whiskey Before Breakfast
White's Hornpipe
Wild John
Woodchopper's Reel

WALTZ

A and E Wz.
Aidalvos
Allengheny Moon
Angel's
Animas Valley
Amazing Grace
Amelia
Annie Laurie
Anniversary
Arizona
Ashokan Farewell

Big Mamou Wz.
Bicycle Built for Two
Blackhawk

Black Velvet
Blaze
Blue Velvet
Blaze
Blue Skirt
Blue Valley
Brownie's

Cabri
Cairo
Carnival
Celita Linda
Centennial
Chancellor's
Chestnut
Cherry Orchard
Country
Crying
Dance of the Goldenrod Wz.
Daugherty
Dewbry (DuBree)
Dreamer's
Drowsy Waters
Doc Harris
Down in the Valley

Edelweiss Wz.
Enduring Young Charms
Eternally Yours
Evarts

Festival Wz.
Fiddler's
Fifty Year Ago
Flat Bush
Fourty Year Ago
Four in the Morning

Gardenia Wz.
Georgiana Moon
German
Girl of my Dreams
Gold and Silver
Golden Fiddle
Goodbye
Green Valley
Gypsy

Hale Wz.
Idaho Wz.
I'll be All Smiles Tonight
In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree

I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles

Jessica's Wz.
Jole Blon
Jolene's N.M. Wz.
Judy's
Junior's

Kaiser Wz.
Kathleen's
Kelly
Kentucky
Kerris
Kiss Me Again

La Golondrina Wz.
Last Cheater's
Let Me Call You Sweetheart
Life in the Finnish Woods
Life is a Dream
Lindley's
Lisa Lynn
Lonesome Fiddle
Lonesome Moonlight
Lover's
Lucille Lucinda (Zenda)

Magnolia Wz.
Mamou
Maria Lena
Mark's
Martin's
Memory
Midnight
Midnight on the Water
Missouri
Misty
Misty Moonlight
Molly Rose
Moonlight on the Colorado
Mom and Dad
Morning Star
Mulberry
Musette
My Adobe Hacienda
Nancy's Wz.
New Mexico

Oklahoma Wz.
Old French
Old South

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Olivia's
Ook Pik (Canadian)

Paula's Wz.
Peek-A-Boo
Play Fiddle Play
Poor Girl
Put your Lil Foot

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Ranger's
Ramona
Red Bird
Red Fox
Redeem
Rose
Rose of Avonmore
Rose of Old Pawnee
Roxanne
Ruby

Shamus O'Brien Wz.
Sidewalk
Silver Dollar
Silver Wedding
Shenandoah
Skater's
Somewhere My Love
Somewhere Over the Rainbow
Springtime in the Rockies
St. Martin's
Starlight
Star of the County Down
Streets of Loredó
Steven's Wz.
Susy's Wz.
Sweet Bunch of Daisies
Sweetest Flower Wz.
Sweetheart Wz.
Sweet Memories of You

Tammy's Wz.
Tawni's
Teardrop
Tennessee
Terry's
Three O'Clock in the Morning
The Waltz You Saved for Me
Twilight

Velvet's Wz.
Virginia Moonlight

Waltz Across Texas
Wz. of Shannon
Wz. Pomenade
Wz. You Save for Me
Wednesday Night
Westphalia
When I Grow too Old to Dream
When Irish Eyes are Smiling
Whistler's
Wishing
White Rose
Wyatt's (Wyatt Earp)

Yellow Rose Wz.
York

Zenda (La Zenda) Wz.

TUNE OF CHOICE

Ain't Got That Swing
Ain't Misbehavin'
Alabama Jubilee
Alex and Marie Two Step
Allentown Polka
Anytime

B and B Rag
Baccus Polka
Back Home in Indiana
Bear Creek Hop
Beaumont Rag
Beautiful Gil Schottische
Beer Barrel Polka
Bill Bailey
Black and White Rag
Bonaparte's Retreat
Boot Hill Drag
Brahm's Polka
Brownskin Gal
Bully of the Town

Cacklin' Hen
Cajun Fiddle
Caledonia Laddie
Cagary Polka
Canebreak
Carrol County Blues
Champagne Polka

Charmaine
Chase Me Charlie
Cherokee Maiden
Cherokee Shuffle
Cherry Pink and Apple Blossom White
Chinese Breakdown
Cincinnati Rag
Clarinet Polka
Cotton-Eyed Joe (Two Step)
Cotton Patch Rag
Crafton's Blues
Crapshooter's Rag
Cruel Willie
Cuckoo's Nest

Danny Boy
Dardanella
Darktown Strutter's Ball
Dill Pickle Rag
Don't Let Your Deal Go Down
Dos Gaviotas
Doughboy Rag
Down Yonder
Draggin the Bow

Early Bird Jig
East Tennessee Blues
Estralita
Eternally Yours

Faded Love
Fiddle Doodle
Fiddin' Around
Five Foot Two
Flapjack Rag
Florida Blues
Flower of Mexico
Flop Eared Mule (Schottische)
Footprints in the Snow
Full Moon Schottische

Galveston Gal
Gary Owen
Going Places
Golden Slippers
Grandfathers Polka
Grassy Fiddle Blues
Great Western Clog
Goofus (Two Step)

Hadacol Rag
Haste to the Wedding

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Heel and Toe Polka
Herman's Rag
Hobo Jig
Home in San Antone
Homesteader's Jig
Hot Foot
Huckleberry Rag
Houston on my Mind
I Don't Love Nobody
In the Mood
Irish Washer Woman

Jalisco
Jenny Lind Polka
Jerusalem's Ridge
Jesse Polka
Johnson's Rag
Juanita's Jig

Kansas City Kitty
Kansas City Rag
Kesh Jig
Kickapoo Rd.
Kill'em

Lady Be Good
Lily Dale
Limerock
Line House Blues
Little Bit of Swing
Little Rock Getaway
Lonestar Rag
Lonesome Fiddle Blues
Love Letters in the Sand

Maggie
Maiden's Prayer
Maple Leaf Rag
Marie
Maynard's Rag
Me and My Fiddle (Speed)
Merrily Kiss the Quaker's Wife
Milk Cow Blues
Minnesota Rag
Miss Molly
Mountain Dew
Morrison's Jig
Mound St. Rag
My Little Red Wagon

My Silver Bells
My Window Faces South

New Stove Jig
North West Jig

Oklahoma Rag
Old Rag in G
Oregon Trail
Osage Stomp
Over the Waterfall

Paddy Whack Jig
Panhandle Rag
Peacock Rag
Pennsylvania Polka
Pig Ankle Rag
Preacher and the Bear
Pop Goes the Weasel
Poor Girl (Schottische)

Quilting Bee Jig

Red Apple Rag
Red Neck Mother
Red's Rag
Red Wing
Right or Wrong
Rippling Water Jig
River Road Rag
River Road Two Step
Rocking Chair Jig
Romeo's Last Chance
Runaway Fiddle
Rustic Dance (Schottische)

Sacramento St. Rag
San Antonio Rag
Satan Takes a Holiday
Satisfied (Tex. Serenade)
Silver and Gold Two Step
Silver Lake Blues
Sioux City Sue
Sixteen Days to Georgia
Sleepy Grass Rag
Smash the Windows Jig
Smith's Rag
Snowdeer
South
Southern Belle
Spaghetti Rag

Still on the Hill
Stone's Rag
Sugar Tree Stomp
Summertime
Sunrise on the Guinea Farm
Swallow Tail Jig
Sweet Georgia Brown
Sweet Marie

Take Me Back to Tulsa
Texas Crapshooter
Texas Schottische
The Room Too Crowded
That's a Plenty
Tico Tico
Topeka Polka
Tripping Up the Stairs
Trot-a-long
12th St. Rag
Twinkle Little Star

Uncle Pig
Under The Double Eagle

Walk Along John
Walking the Dog
Walken' in My Sleep (Speed)
Washington Lee Swing
Wheels
Whistling Rufus
Wildwood Flower
Wild Fiddle Rag

Zaca Tecos

TUNE SOURCES

This list does not include all the acceptable tunes. Hopefully it is a helpful guide. It represents the diversity of tunes played in Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, California and Nationals in Weiser, Idaho with those popular among our snowbird friends.

The following music books and lists were used in the determination of category of tunes... Jeanine R. Orme, Nate Olson, Peter Rolland (Fiddle Class Book 3), Virg Evans, Mel Bay books and lists from the National Oldtime Fiddle Contest in Weiser, Idaho. JayDean Ludiker graciously sent the content

FIDDLE CONTESTS

Most contests require the contestant to play a hoedown/breakdown, waltz and tune of choice for each round. Be prepared as well with a tiebreaker... usually a hoedown.

Reels and hornpipes are always hoedowns(breakdowns) and should be played in 2/4 or 4/4 time with at least two 8 bar sections with repeats. It is generally played faster than the tune of choice.

The Waltz is in $\frac{3}{4}$ time and is any danceable waltz played in a fiddle style. A fiddle style usually has slides ($\frac{1}{2}$ step) and a slower vibrato than classical style.

A tune other than a hoedown or waltz is a Tune of Choice.

A rag, polka, jig or schottische played in cut time is appropriate if it is played at a danceable tempo. Jigs are usually $\frac{6}{8}$ time. Schottische can be $\frac{2}{4}$ as well as $\frac{12}{8}$.

Most contests score each tune for rhythm, tone quality, oldtime fiddling ability and dance ability.

Controversial tunes usually depend upon the tempo in which they are played, however rhythm, style and number of measures can enter in as well.

It is a good idea to get familiar with the rules of a contest before you put your tunes together. Google their web site or call the person in charge and ask for a copy of the guidelines. The judge's ruling is final, however most judges keep notes and welcome being able to help you understand your scouring .

The Double Shuffle is a bow technique used in many bluegrass, show and old-time tunes.

It is know as "Hokum" bowing and is usually not allowed except in the Trick and Fancy Divisions. The pattern is 16 notes long and is played on 2 or more strings. It starts with 2 Strokes on a lower string then crosses to play one stroke on the next higher string. The Group of 3 notes is played 5 times alternating down and up bow. The final note is up bow on the lower string. All of the notes are the same length. Above all... HAVE FUN!