Hold On To Your Hat

Choreographer: Hayley Wheatley

Count: 98

Wall: 2

Level: Phrased Intermediate

Intro: Start after 18 Counts on the word "HAT"

Music: "Hold On To your Hat" By Derek Ryan

Part A: 34 Counts Part B: 30 counts (Always danced on 12:00) Part C: 34 Counts (Always danced on 6:00) Sequence: AAB AAC ABA ACC AAC

PART A : 34 counts

AS1: LOCK STEP, SCUFF, LOCK STEP, SCUFF

1-2	Step fwd diagonally R on RF, Lock LF behind RF	1:30
3-4	Step fwd diagonally R on RF, Scuff LF fwd	1:30
5-6	Step fwd diagonally L on LF, Lock RF behind LF	10:30
7-8	Step fwd diagonally L on LF, Scuff RF fwd	10:30

AS2: STEP, TOUCH, STEP BACK, KICK X3

1-2	Step fwd on RF, Touch L toe Behind	R heel	12:00
3-4	Step back onto LF, Kick RF fwd	12:00	
5-6	Step back onto RF, Kick LF fwd	12:00	
7-8	Step back onto LF, Kick RF fwd	12:00	

AS3: COASTER STEP, HOLD, LOCK STEP FORWARD, HOLD

1-2	Step back onto RF, Step LF r	ext to RF 12:00
3-4	Step fwd on RF, Hold	12:00
5-6	Step fwd on LF, Lock RF behi	ind LF 12:00
7-8	Step fwd on LF, Hold	12:00

AS4: CHASE ¹/₂ TURN LEFT, MAMBO STEP, ROCK BACK, RECOVER

1-2	Step fwd on RF, Pivot ½ turn L	6:00
3-4	Step fwd on RF, Hold 6:00	
5-6	Rock fwd on LF, Recover onto RF	6:00
7-8	Step back onto LF, Hold 6:00	
9-10	Rock back onto RF, Recover onto LF	6:00

PART B (steps 1-2 are replaced with 9-10 from section A) 30 counts

BS1: STEP FORWARD, SCUFF X3

3-4	Step fwd on RF, Scuff LF fwd	12:00
5-6	Step fwd on LF, Scuff RF	12:00
7-8	Step fwd on RF, Scuff LF	12:00

BS2: JAZZ BOX, HOLD, CROSS SHUFFLE, HOLD10:301-2Cross step LF over RF, Step back onto RF12:003-4Step LF to L side, Hold12:005-6Cross RF over LF, Step LF to L side12:007-8Cross RF over LF, Hold12:00

BS3: SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, EXTENDED WEAVE RIGHT, HOLD

1-2Rock LF to L side, Recover onto RF12:003-4Cross step LF over RF, Step RF to R side12:005-6Step LF behind RF, Step RF to R side12:007-8Cross step LF over RF, Hold12:00

BS4: HEEL TAPS R, L R, L MAKING ½ TURN R 1-2 Making ¼ turn R tap R heel fwd. Close RF beside LF

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3-4	Tap L heel fwd, Close LF beside RF, 3:00	
5-6	Making ¼ turn R tap R heel fwd, Close RF beside LF	6:00
7-8	Tap L heel fwd, Close LF beside RF 6:00	

3:00



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PART C : 34 countsCS1: HEEL, HOOK, HEEL, CLOSE, HEEL, HOOK, HEEL, CLOSE1-2Tap R Heel fwd, Hook R Heel across L leg6:003-4Tap R Heel fwd, Close RF beside LF6:005-6Tap L Heel fwd, Hook L Heel across R leg6:007-8Tap L heel fwd, Close LF beside RF6:00



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CS2: STOMP, CLAP, STOMP, CLAP, TOUCH TOE OUT, IN, OUT, HOLD

- 1-2 Stomp RF fwd, Clap hands 6:00
- 3-4 Stomp LF fwd, Clap hands 6:00
- 5-6Touch R toe out to R side, Touch R toe beside LF6:007-8Touch R toe out to R side, Hold6:00

CS3: FORWARD ROCK, RECOVER, SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, COASTER STEP, HOLD

- 1-2 Rock fwd onto RF, Recover onto LF 6:00
- 3-4 Rock RF to R side, Recover onto LF 6:00
- 5-6 Step back onto RF, Close LF beside RF6:00
- 7-8 Step fwd on RF, Hold 6:00

CS4: FORWARD ROCK, RECOVER, SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, RUN BACK X3, HOLD, ROCK BACK RECOVER

- 1-2 Rock fwd onto LF, Recover onto RF 6:00
- 3-4 Rock LF to L side, Recover onto RF 6:00
- 5-6 Run back onto LF, Run back onto RF 6:00
- 7-8 Run back onto LF, Hold 6:00
- 9-10 Rock back onto RF, Recover onto LF 6:00

ENDING: End dance with a big Stomp forward on RF (following the final part "C") for a "finale" finish.