

Deck the Halls

Old Welsh Carol

With spirit

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of four systems, each with a piano accompaniment (left hand) and a vocal line (right hand). Chords are indicated above the vocal line. Fingerings and accents are marked throughout.

System 1: Chords: F, C7, F, C, F, C7, F, C, F. Lyrics: *f* Deck the halls with boughs of hol - ly, Fa la la la la, la la la la!

System 2: Chords: F, C7, F, C, F, C7, F, C, F. Lyrics: 'Tis the sea - son to be jol - ly, Fa la la la la, la la la la!

System 3: Chords: C7, F, C, F, Dm, C, G, C. Lyrics: Don we now our gay ap-par - el, Fa la la la la la, la la la!

System 4: Chords: F, C7, F, C, F, Bb, F, C7, F. Lyrics: Troll the an - cient Yule-tide car - ol, Fa la la la la, la la la la!

2. See the blazing Yule before us,
 Fa la la la la, la la la,
 Strike the harp and join the chorus,
 Fa la la la la, la la la la.
 Follow me in merry measure,
 Fa la la la lu la la,
 While I tell of Yuletide treasure,
 Fa la la la la, la la la la.

3. Fast away the old year passes,
 Fa la la la la, la la la la,
 Hail the new, ye lads and lasses
 Fa la la la la, la la la la.
 Sing we joyous all together,
 Fa la la la la la la,
 Heedless of the wind and weather,
 Fa la la la la, la la la la.