



- 1) **Where do you live?**
I was born in Scotland and now live in Perth (Western Australia)
- 2) **When did you start dancing and how did that happen?**
Dancing is something I have done since I could walk. Ballet, jazz, ballroom etc. Linedancing however I started 30 years ago this year.
- 3) **What is the first dance you ever learnt?**
During a holiday in the USA (I hadn't seen linedancing in Scotland). I learned a few including the Electric Slide and took them home with me to incorporate into my fitness classes.
- 4) **Where is the most unusual place you have ever line danced?**
Mmmm... a few but probably on the street corners of Perth city with Alan Birchall at a Christmas festival where i was hired to get the crowd going.
- 5) **Does anyone else in your family have the line dancing bug? If so, who?**
No, my parents were ballroom dancers and my daughter did dabble when younger, but doesn't now.
- 6) **What made you decide to choreograph, and what was your first dance?**
I have always choreographed as back then there were no dances available or resources to find them. I simply chose tracks i loved and knew my classed would love and wrote dance routines to them. I don't even have them now. The first one i actually wrote a script for as published in LineDancer magazine and was called "One Horse Town".
- 7) **What does line dance mean to you?**
It means friendships, fun, travel and the opportunity or all ages to enjoy great music and dance in a lovely safe environment.
- 8) **Describe yourself in 1 sentence.**
I am caring, honest individual who loves to see people smile.
- 9) **What does everyone need to know about you?**
I am absolutely in love with Yorkshire terriers and have 3: Paris, Tiffany & Diva. They are tiny and soooooo cute ☺
- 10) **Do you have any advice or tips for anyone wanting to choreograph?**
Choose music that moves you. Listen to the music over and over and map the music so you can write a coherent dance that works with that track. Pop it out there. You never know which one may take off. If none take off then it doesn't matter. Just enjoy ☺