Here are some fun old-time tunes to exercise to!

I've Got a Lovely Bunch of Coconuts

Exercise with ball games, passing, catching, rolling etc to the music of I've Got a Lovely Bunch of Coconuts (YouTube)

Lyrics (sample)

I've got a lovely bunch of coconuts
There they are all standing in a row
Big ones, small ones, some as big as your head
Just give them a twist, a flick of the wrist
That's what the showman said.

I've got a lovely bunch of coconuts Evey ball you throw will make me rich There stands my wife, the idol of my life Singing roll or bowl a ball a penny a pitch.

Singing roll or bowl a ball a penny a pitch Roll or bowl a ball a penny a pitch Roll or bowl a ball, roll or bowl a ball Singing roll or bowl a ball a penny a pitch.

Show Me The Way To Go Home

Exercise to the music of:

Show Me The Way To Go Home (YouTube)

Circle right hand to the right x 4 Circle right hand to the left x 4

Circle left hand to the right x 4
Circle left hand to the left x 4

Lift right foot toes up and down x 4 Lift left foot toes up and down x 4

Lift right foot heel up and down x 4 Lift left foot heel up and down x 4

Repeat as many times as you want.

Lyrics (sample)

Show me the way to go home
I'm tired and I want to go to bed
I had a little drink about an hour ago
And it's gone right to my head
No matter where I roam
On land or sea or foam
You will always hear me singing this song
Show me the way to go home.

Tiptoe Through The Tulips

Hands, fingers and toes. to the music of:

Tiptoe Through The Tulips (YouTube)

Touch each finger to thumb, right hand, left hand, together \times 4 Tiptoe alternate feet \times 6

Lyrics (sample)

Tiptoe through the window

By the window that is where I'll be

Come tiptoe through the tulips with me.

Oh tiptoe from the garden

By the garden of the willow tree

And tiptoe through the tulips with me

Knee deep in flowers we'll stray

We'll keep the showers away

And if I kiss you in the garden, in the moonlight

Will you pardon me?

And tiptoe through the tulips with me.

Oh! Oh! Antonio

Exercise to the music of:

Oh! Oh! Antonio

Step right foot to side and return x 2
Step left foot to side and return x 2
Left foot forward, stay
Right foot forward, stay
Left foot back
Right foot back

Waltz swaying arms and body to the music

Lyrics (sample)

Oh, Oh, Antonio
He's gone away
Left me alone-e-o
All on my own-e-o
I want to meet him with his new sweetheart
Then up will go Antonio and his ice cream cart.

The Happy Wanderer

Marching or walking swinging arms while lifting the heel only off the floor up and down alternatively to the music of:

The Happy Wanderer (YouTube)

Lyrics (sample)

I love to go a wandering, along the mountain track, And as I go, I love to sing, my knap-sack on my back.

Val de ri - Val de ra - Val de ri Val da ra ha ha ha ha Val de ri - Val-de ra - My knap-sack on my back.

I love to wander by the stream that dances in the sun So joyously it calls to me Come join my happy song<?p>

Never On A Sunday

To give the feel of Cha Cha use hand instruments, such as maracas, toy rattles, clapping hands together or onto knees, whatever you can find suitable, something to shake.

Never On A Sunday (YouTube)

Lyrics (sample)

You can kiss me on a Wednesday, a Thursday, A Friday, or Saturday is best But never, never on a Sunday, A Sunday the one day I need a little rest.

Come any day, and you'll be my guest Any day you say, but not my day of rest Just name the day, that you like the best Only stay away, on my day of rest.

Gwyneth volunteer