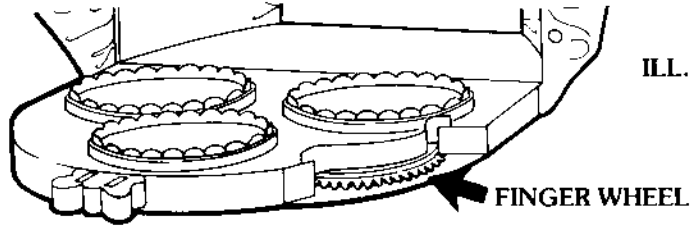


**12.** Place pony or characters in the circle discs on the platform. Turn the finger wheel slowly in either direction and watch them whirl and twirl on the dance floor! (ILL. 13).

Store all pieces inside the Baby Bonnet School of Dance. Convenient "bow" handle makes it easy to carry it anywhere you go!



ILL. 13

**NOTE:** If accidentally dropped or extreme pressure is applied, the dance platform may release from the playset. This is intended to prevent cracking. If this should happen, simply reassemble by snapping the tabs on end of the platform into the holes on the bottom of the playset.

## BABY BONNET SCHOOL OF DANCE™

All the baby ponies had been practicing for weeks for the Ballet Recital, and tonight was the big night! Baby Half Note prepared the stage, carefully laying all the props in place. "This will be the perfect spot for Baby Blossom's triple spin," she thought. Then she checked the costumes. All the frilly skirts and sparkling tiaras were in a neat row, ready to wear.

At 6:00 in the evening, the guests started to arrive. Baby Half Note watched backstage as they took their seats in the audience. "It's almost time," she warned the dancers. Everyone rustled about with excitement. Suddenly, the lights blinked! That was the cue for the ponies to take their places on stage. They were ready. As the curtain slowly rose, the ponies noticed something was missing.

"There's no music!" Baby Shady cried out. Baby Half Note was stunned - she'd forgotten to turn on the record player. Magic Star, who was sitting in the front row, knew how to solve the problem. She jumped out of her seat and onto the stage.

"Ladies and Gentlemen," she said proudly, "tonight's performance will be accompanied by the Star Light Band."

While the audience applauded the introduction, Magic Star went behind the curtain and waved her magic wand. Stars suddenly appeared above the stage, ready to play their instruments. "Start the music," Magic Star whispered. The symbols crashed, violins strummed and the drums beat with a cheerful rat-tat-tat as the ponies started whirling and twirling. Jumps, spins and pirouettes filled the air. What a lovely performance it was!

At the end of the show, the audience presented a bouquet of roses to Baby Half Note for staging such a wonderful show. Baby Half Note ran to the side of the stage and hugged Magic Star. "You're the real star of the show," Baby Half Note remarked, handing her the bouquet of flowers!

