

Zvâcul de la Pietroșani

(Muntenia)

Zvâcul is a rapid dance from southern Muntenia. The name comes from the verb "a zvâcni" meaning "to push, to dash." The music of this dance is played by a group of children on flute and caval.

Pronunciation:

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The image displays musical notation for the dance "Zvâcul de la Pietroșani". At the top left is a circle. To its right is a melodic line with notes and a wavy line underneath. Below these are three rhythmic patterns labeled A, B, and C. Each pattern consists of a series of notes with stems, some marked with 'x' and arrows indicating fingerings or accents. Pattern A starts with a square box above the first note. Pattern B starts with a square box above the first note. Pattern C starts with a square box above the first note. The notation is written in a style typical of folk music manuscripts.