

# CONEY ISLAND WASHBOARD

1926

Music by Hampton Durand and Jerry Adams  
Key: C Starting pitch: G

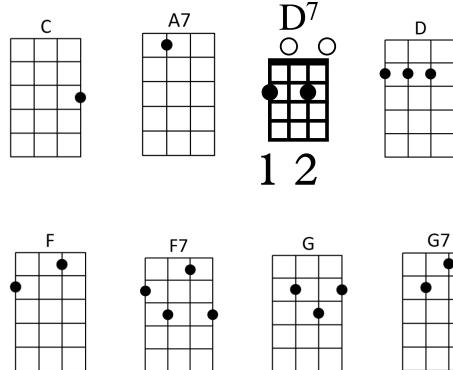
Lyrics by Ned Nestor and Claude Shugart  
Intro: D7 G7 C C/ C/

**C** **A7**  
Coney Island washboard she would play,  
**D7** **D**  
She'd play it on the boardwalk every day,  
**G7** **C**  
Soapsuds all around, Bubbles on the ground  
**D**  
Rub-a-dub-a-dub, in her little tub  
**G/** **G7/G7/G7/**  
Any tune she found

**C** **A7**  
Thimbles on her fingers made a noise  
**D7**  
She played 'Charleston' on the laundry  
**D/D/ D/D/**  
for the boys  
**NC F F7**  
She could rag a tune right through the knees  
**C A7**  
Of a brand new pair of BVDs  
**D G7 C**  
Coney Island Washboard Ronde-lay.

## KAZOO:

**C** **A7**  
Coney Island washboard she would play,  
**D7** **D/D/ D/D/**  
She'd play it on the boardwalk every day,  
**G7**  
Soapsuds all around,  
**C**  
Bubbles on the ground  
**D**  
Rub-a-dub-a-dub, in her little tub  
**G/** **G7/G7/G7/**  
Any tune she found



## SING:

**C** **A7**  
Coney Island washboard holi-day,  
**D7** **D**  
You could hear her on the boardwalk every day,  
**G7** **C**  
Soapsuds all around, Bubbles on the ground  
**D**  
Rub-a-dub-a-dub, in her little tub  
**G/** **G7/G7/G7/**  
What a wonderful sound

**C** **A7**  
Thimbles on her fingers made a noise  
**D7** **D/D/ D/D/**  
She played it every Monday for the boys  
**NC F F7**  
She could rag a tune right through the knees  
**C A7**  
Of a brand new pair of Levi jeans  
**D7 G7**  
Coney Island Washboard  
**D7 G7**  
Coney Island Washboard  
**D7 G7 C C/C/C/**  
Coney Island Washboard Ronde-lay.