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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		1152-31	<b>DESTRIER</b> (FR) 47 D b g Voix Du Nord - Razia	6 11 - 4	Harry Skelton D Skelton	138
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2		4111P/1	<b>REIVERS LAD</b> 38 D b g Alflora - Reivers Moon	8 11 - 4	Ryan Day N G Richards	132
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Brown and royal blue (halved), halved sleeves, brown and royal blue hooped cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Bumper winner who landed 3 of 5 starts over hurdles in 2017, Very much a chaser on looks so no surprise to see him make winning chase debut at Newcastle after 20 months off, improving in the process. ★★★★★ (Forecast 4.00)					Notes:	
3		4/2121P -	<b>SAM'S GUNNER</b> 282 ch g Black Sam Bellamy - Falcon's Gunner	6 10 - 12	W T Kennedy M W Easterby	136
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4		3342-13	<b>TONTO'S SPIRIT</b> 78 C D b g Authorized - Desert Royalty	7 10 - 12h	C O'Farrell Kenneth Slack	131
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**TIMEFORM VIEW:** DESTRIER justified strong support in making a winning start over fences at Southwell, beating 4 subsequent winners in the process, so he should prove a tough nut to crack. Sam's Gunner was the best of these over hurdles so may emerge as the biggest threat ahead of Reivers Lad.

**Timeform 1-2-3:**


- 1:** DESTRIER (1)
- 2:** SAM'S GUNNER (3)
- 3:** REIVERS LAD (2)


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Flat Turf: 1 - 0 - 0 - 0					Jumps: 7 - 4 - 1 - 1			All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0		
<b>RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY</b>										
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up			OR
04 Dec 18	Sth 16f Nov Hcp Ch Cls3 7K	Gd-Sft	11-10	1/7 ½ len	Harry Skelton	15/8f	1st DESTRIER, 2nd Another Crick, 3rd Doc Carver made all, clear before 3 out, held on towards finish			127
11 Nov 18	San 16f Hcp Hdl Cls3 13K	Hy	11-10	3/20 9½ len	Harry Skelton	13/2f2	1st Totterdown, 2nd Nelson's Touch, 3rd DESTRIER chased leaders, mistake 3 out, ridden before next, no impression on winner, kept on			127
09 Apr 18	Kmp 16f Nov Hdl Div2 Cls4 4K	Gd-Sft	12-0	2/11 2½ len	Harry Skelton	2/1f	1st Notre Ami, 2nd DESTRIER, 3rd Nelson's Touch chased leader until after 2nd, chased leading pair, 2nd again before 2 out where blundered quite badly, stayed on same pace run-in			128
24 Feb 18	Kmp 16f Nov Hdl Gd2 Cls1 17K	Gd	11-2	5/10 18 len	Harry Skelton	16/1	1st Global Citizen, 2nd Scarlet Dragon, 3rd Michael's Mount held up towards rear, driven to chase clear leaders after 3 out, ridden and outpaced after next, kept on, never on terms			130
23 Jan 18	Wth 16f 4-7y Nov Hdl Cls4 5K	Hy	11-10	1/6 8 len	Harry Skelton	6/4f2	1st DESTRIER, 2nd Miss Tynte, 3rd Snougar in rear, headway before 3 out, led 2 out, easily			-
20 Nov 17	Les 15.5f Nov Hdl Cls3 6K	Gd-Sft	10-12	1/8 1½ len	Harry Skelton	7/2	1st DESTRIER, 2nd Doc Carver, 3rd Melangerie held up in mid-division, headway 3 out, switched right before 2 out, challenged last, led and edged right flat, driven out			-


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Flat Turf: 3 - 1 - 1 - 1				Jumps: 6 - 4 - 0 - 0			All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0	
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
13 Dec 18	Ncs 16f Nov Ch Cls3 7K	Gd-Sft	10-13	1/9 ¾ len	Ryan Day	11/2	1st REIVERS LAD, 2nd Cool Mix, 3rd Ravenhill Road in touch chasing group, headway 4 out, 4 lengths down in 3rd before last, ridden and ran on well to lead towards finish	125
08 Apr 17	Ain 20f Nov Hdl Gd1 Cls1 56K	Gd	11-4	PU/13	B P Harding	40/1	1st Finian's Oscar, 2nd Captain Forez, 3rd Messire Des Obeaux chased leaders, lost place 5th, ridden and struggling after 4 out, well beaten 3 out, pulled up before last	130
18 Mar 17	Ncs 16f Nov Hdl Cls4 3K	Hy	11-12	1/8 2½ len	B P Harding	4/9f	1st REIVERS LAD, 2nd Applaus, 3rd Short Flight with leader, led before 3 out, ridden run-in, kept on well	128
04 Mar 17	Kel 16f Nov Hdl Cls4 3K	Hy	11-7	1/7 8 len	B P Harding	5/6f	1st REIVERS LAD, 2nd Snelanough, 3rd Lastin' Memories made all, clear before 2 out, unchallenged	128
16 Feb 17	Kel 16f Nov Hdl Cls4 3K	Hy	11-2	1/7 6 len	Craig Nichol	4/5f	1st REIVERS LAD, 2nd Lycidas, 3rd Paper Roses tracked leaders, went 2nd before 2 out, led before last, kept on strongly	-
30 Jan 17	Ayr 21f Mdn Hdl Cls5 3K	Hy	11-5	4/6 6½ len	Craig Nichol	8/15f	1st Strong Economy, 2nd Vertigo, 3rd Better Back Bracka held up in touch, went 2nd before 3 out, every chance 2 out, weakened and lost 2 place run-in	-

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Flat Turf: 2 - 0 - 0 - 0				Jumps: 7 - 2 - 2 - 1			All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0	
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Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
13 Apr 18	Ain 25f Nov Hdl Gd1 Cls1 56K	Sft	11-4	PU/13	W T Kennedy	12/1	1st Santini, 2nd Roksana, 3rd Tower Bridge in rear, not fluent 6th, pushed along next, well beaten after 4 out, pulled up before 2 out	136
10 Mar 18	San 20f 4-7y Nov Hcp Hdl Gd3 Cls1 42K	Sft	10-12	1/17 7 len	W T Kennedy	12/1	1st SAM'S GUNNER, 2nd Dentley De Mee, 3rd First Assignment held up towards rear, not fluent 1st, headway after 3 out, 4th 2 out, challenged last, soon led, stayed on well to draw clear	125
15 Feb 18	Kel 16f Nov Hdl Cls4 4K	Hy	11-8	2/10 2¼ len	Sean Quinlan	7/2f2	1st Taxmeifyoucan, 2nd SAM'S GUNNER, 3rd Mcgowan's Pass held up in touch, headway before 3 out, chased winner from last, kept on and always held	-
02 Feb 18	ctt 19f Nov Hdl Cls4 4K	Gd-Sft	11-4	1/5 1¼ len	Sean Quinlan	85/40f2	1st SAM'S GUNNER, 2nd Scheu Time, 3rd What's The Scoop tracked leaders in 3rd, switched left after last, led last 75 yards, soon ridden, held on well	-
11 Jan 18	ctt 19f 4-7y Nov Hdl Cls4 5K	Sft	11-6	2/10 1 len	Sean Quinlan	20/1	1st Hear No Evil, 2nd SAM'S GUNNER, 3rd Planet Nine towards rear, headway before 2 out to chase leaders, kept on to take 2nd place towards finish	-
24 Jan 17	Wth 16f Nov Hdl Cls4 3K	Gd-Sft	10-0	4/13 22 len	Mr Garry Lavery (7)	66/1	1st Mr Big Shot, 2nd Cousin Oscar, 3rd Rockportian in rear, effort before 3 out, never dangerous	-

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TONTO'S SPIRIT

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Improved on the back of a wind operation when comfortable winner of handicap hurdle at Cartmel (17.2f, good) in May. Undone by an 11 lb rise 5 months on at Ayr and not an obvious chasing type. ★★★★☆ (Forecast 8.00)

CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)


Flat Turf: 18 - 5 - 0 - 2

Jumps: 14 - 4 - 2 - 4

All Weather: 1 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
03 Nov 18	Ayr 16f Hcp Hdl Cls2 26K	Gd	10-13h	3/7 9 len	Colm McCormack (3)	16/1	1st Le Patriote, 2nd Chti Balko, 3rd TONTO'S SPIRIT led until 3 out, 3rd and beaten before last, one pace	132
30 May 18	Crt 17f Cond Hcp Hdl Cls4 4K	Gd	11-6h	1/8 4½ len	Robert Hogg (8)	11/8f	1st TONTO'S SPIRIT, 2nd Good Tradition, 3rd Golden Town raced keenly, chased leader, led before 2 out, clear last, comfortably	121
25 Mar 18	Car 19f Hcp Hdl Cls3 6K	Gd-Sft	10-10h	2/9 17 len	Robert Hogg (7)	11/4jf	1st Apache Jack, 2nd TONTO'S SPIRIT, 3rd Pistol keen led, jumped left at 3rd, ridden and headed 2 out, kept on same pace	121
28 Jan 18	Sdg 17f Hcp Hdl Cls4 4K	Sft	11-9h	4/8 2½ len	Robert Hogg (7)	10/3jf	1st Black Art, 2nd Cape Hideaway, 3rd Red Ochre led, ridden after 3 out, soon headed, ridden before last, kept on same pace	121
26 Dec 17	Sdg 20f Hcp Hdl Cls4 4K	Sft	11-6h	3/8 10½ len	Rachel McDonald (7)	2/1f	1st Octagon, 2nd Bal De Rio, 3rd TONTO'S SPIRIT tracked leader until before 2 out, kept on same pace in 3rd	121
09 Dec 17	Wth 16f Hcp Hdl Cls3 6K	Sft	11-0h	3/3 8 len	Ross Chapman (5)	13/8f2	1st Aristo Du Plessis, 2nd Sakhee's City, 3rd TONTO'S SPIRIT led, went right 1st, clear 3rd to 4 out, headed before next, ridden and one pace after 2 out, held when not fluent last, lost 2nd closing stages	126

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05 Jan 19	Ncs 16f Nov Ch Cls4 5K	Gd-Sft	11-0	4/5 32 len	Harry Bannister	100/1	1st Hawk High, 2nd Cool Mix, 3rd Reverant Cust <i>took keen hold, held up, weakened before 4 out</i>	-
13 Dec 18	Ncs 16f Nov Ch Cls3 7K	Gd-Sft	10-13	8/9 37 len	C R King	250/1	1st REIVERS LAD, 2nd Cool Mix, 3rd Ravenhill Road <i>keen early, held up in last pair, blundered 3rd, weakened 4 out, tailed off</i>	-
02 Sep 13	Ham 6f 2y Hcp Cls5 4K	Gd-Fm	8-7	6/7 (8) 8¾ len	J P Sullivan	16/1	1st Bandalier, 2nd Supa U, 3rd Les Gar Gan <i>towards rear, pushed along over 3f out, ridden over 2f out, never dangerous</i>	60
15 Jun 13	Yor 6f 2y Mdn Cls3 7K	Gd-Fm	9-5	13/15 (5) 21 len	T E Durcan	28/1	1st Rufford, 2nd Bahamian C, 3rd Edge <i>always towards rear</i>	-
01 Jun 13	Ncs 6f 2y Mdn Cls5 3K	Gd	8-11	5/14 (5) 2½ len	J P Sullivan	20/1	1st Secret Applause, 2nd Henke, 3rd Darling Boyz <i>chased leaders, driven inside final 2f, ridden and kept on under pressure inside final furlong</i>	-
14 May 13	Bev 5f 2y Mdn Cls5 3K	Gd-Fm	9-5	4/8 (5) 8 len	J P Sullivan	25/1	1st Supplicant, 2nd Jacquette Delahaye, 3rd Tamayuz Magic <i>hampered and squeezed out start, in rear, ran on, never on nearer</i>	-

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02 Jan 19	Ayr 20.5f Mdn Hdl Cls5 3K	Sft	10-10	11/11 89 len	Colm McCormack (3)	100/1	1st Johnbb, 2nd Glinger Flame, 3rd Mistermoonboy <i>mistake and struggling 8th, always behind, tailed off 4 out</i>	82
18 Mar 17	Utt 23f Hcp Hdl Cls5 3K	Sft	10-9v1	2/5 1½ len	Jamie Bargary (3)	7/2	1st Flobury, 2nd <b>MARGARET'S ROSE</b> , 3rd Agent Louise <i>led, not fluent 7th, quickened pace before 8th, ridden after 4 out, headed before 2 out, held when winner tried to refuse last and left challenging, led and bumped on landing, headed flat, held close home</i>	85
06 Mar 17	Lin 23f Hcp Hdl Cls5 4K	Hy	10-12	5/9 26 len	Jamie Bargary (3)	5/1	1st Point N Shoot, 2nd Over My Head, 3rd Flugzeug <i>chased leaders on inside, pushed along and no impression in 4th before 2 out, lost that placing final strides</i>	87
21 Feb 17	Tau 24f Hcp Hdl Cls5 4K	Gd	10-10	5/17 27 len	Jamie Bargary (3)	7/1	1st Avithos, 2nd Viking Mistress, 3rd Gold Bonne Raine <i>towards rear, not fluent 7th, ridden and outpaced after 3 out, plugged on</i>	87
18 Jan 17	mar 21f Hcp Hdl Cls4 5K	Sft	10-7	3/6 10¼ len	Jamie Bargary (3)	5/1	1st What A Diva, 2nd Viking Mistress, 3rd <b>MARGARET'S ROSE</b> <i>held up in rear, headway under pressure 2 out, stayed on to go 3rd before last, never able to challenge</i>	89
27 Dec 16	Chp 19.5f Mdn Hdl Cls3 6K	Gd-Sft	10-4	10/13 83 len	Jamie Bargary (3)	66/1	1st The Worlds End, 2nd Full Irish, 3rd Persian Delight <i>in rear, behind 7th, tailed off</i>	97