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Read Noel Fehily At 188bet Hurdle (Class 2) (4YO plus)

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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		1/11131-	<b>UNOWHATIMEANHARRY</b> 198 b g Sir Harry Lewis - Red Nose Lady	9 11 - 6t	B J Geraghty Harry Fry	167
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<b>TIMEFORM VIEW:</b> A very interesting contest in store, with the vote going to TOP NOTCH on his return to timber as the 8 lb he receives from top-class stayer Unowhatimeanharry could well be decisive, especially with the latter having to come back in trip.						
<b>Timeform 1-2-3:</b> 1: TOP NOTCH (2) 2: UNOWHATIMEANHARRY (1) 3: VALUE AT RISK (3)						

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<b>CAREER STATS</b> (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)								
Flat Turf: 2 - 1 - 0 - 0			Jumps: 22 - 10 - 1 - 7		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
27 Apr 17	Pun 24f Hdl Gd1 Cls1 148K	Gd-Yl	11-10t	1/12 hd	N D Fehily	4/12f	1st <b>UNOWHATIMEANHARRY</b> , 2nd Nichols Canyon, 3rd Footpad took keen hold early, chased leaders, 5th from 5th, closed up 4 out, travelling smoothly and almost on terms 3 out, led after 2 out, strongly pressed before last, stayed on well run-in, just held on	165
16 Mar 17	Che 24f Hdl Gd1 Cls1 171K	Gd	11-10t	3/12 4¼ len	N D Fehily	5/6f	1st Nichols Canyon, 2nd Lli Rockerfeller, 3rd <b>UNOWHATIMEANHARRY</b> mid-division, headway 7th, close 3rd 2 out, ridden and every chance last, drifted right flat, no extra towards finish	167
28 Jan 17	Che 24f Hdl Gd2 Cls1 34K	Sft	11-8t	1/15 1¼ len	B J Geraghty	10/11f	1st <b>UNOWHATIMEANHARRY</b> , 2nd Cole Harden, 3rd West Approach mid-division, headway 4th, close 3rd normal 3 out, challenged after next, led before omitted last, stayed on well	167
17 Dec 16	Asc 24f Hdl Gd1 Cls1 57K	Gd-Sft	11-7t	1/11 4¼ len	B J Geraghty	6/5f	1st <b>UNOWHATIMEANHARRY</b> , 2nd Lli Rockerfeller, 3rd Un Temps Pour Tout held up towards rear, 3rd travelling well after 3 out, 2nd between last two, slight lead and travelling well when left clear last	165
25 Nov 16	Nbu 24f Hdl Gd2 Cls1 28K	Sft	11-4t	1/9 6 len	B J Geraghty	7/2t2	1st <b>UNOWHATIMEANHARRY</b> , 2nd Ballyoptic, 3rd Menorah held up towards rear, headway before 6th, led 2 out, kept on strongly, eased towards finish	149
18 Mar 16	Che 24f Nov Hdl Gd1 Cls1 68K	Gd	11-5t	1/19 1¼ len	N D Fehily	11/1	1st <b>UNOWHATIMEANHARRY</b> , 2nd Fagan, 3rd Champs On Ice held up towards rear, slightly bumped 8th, headway after 3 out, pushed along after next, switched left before last, carried left, not fluent and led at hurdle, soon hung right, kept on well	152

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Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0			Jumps: 17 - 8 - 4 - 3		All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0			
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06 Apr 17	Ain 20f Nov Ch Gd1 Cls1 56K	Gd	11-4	3/6 5½ len	D A Jacob	6/5f	1st Flying Angel, 2nd Cloudy Dream, 3rd <b>TOP NOTCH</b> in touch in 4th, headway before 2 out, ridden before last, kept on same pace	158
16 Mar 17	Che 20f Nov Ch Gd1 Cls1 89K	Gd	11-4	2/8 1 len	D A Jacob	7/2t2	1st Yorkhill, 2nd <b>TOP NOTCH</b> , 3rd Disko tracked leaders, left close up in 3rd 4 out, every chance when hit 2 out, driven to chase front pair before last, soon ridden, rallied to chase winner final 100 yards, held near finish	152
04 Feb 17	San 20f Nov Ch Gd1 Cls1 28K	Sft	11-3	1/5 5 len	D A Jacob	11/4t2	1st <b>TOP NOTCH</b> , 2nd Baron Alco, 3rd Le Prezien tracked leaders on inside, hit 4 out, 2nd travelling well before 3 out, produced to lead last, quickened clear run-in, ridden out	152
17 Dec 16	Asc 21f Ch Cls2 16K	Gd-Sft	11-3	1/5 1¼ len	D A Jacob	4/5f	1st <b>TOP NOTCH</b> , 2nd Sizing Godolco, 3rd Hammersly Lake held up disputing 3rd behind clear leading pair, reached for 11th, 2nd place approaching 13th, 3 lengths down after 3 out and closing, led approaching the last, in command in closing stages ( limited comments due to poor visibility)	-
28 Nov 16	Plu 17f Nov Ch Cls3 6K	Gd-Sft	11-5	1/4 6 len	D A Jacob	2/5f	1st <b>TOP NOTCH</b> , 2nd Romain De Senam, 3rd Overtown Express jumped well, made all, clear when shaken up between last 2, unchallenged	-
16 Nov 16	War 16f 4-5y Nov Ch Cls3 9K	Sft	11-2	1/4 15 len	D A Jacob	1/8f	1st <b>TOP NOTCH</b> , 2nd Pemba, 3rd Deadly Approach chased leaders, challenged 8th, soon led, headed after hitting 4 out, led again going well before 2 out, clear approaching last, very easily	-

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Flat Turf: 5 - 2 - 1 - 1	Jumps: 13 - 3 - 3 - 0	All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

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27 Apr 17	Per 20f Hcp Ch Cls2 16K	Gd	11-7t1p	5/7 36 len	Harry Skelton	13/8f	1st Mystifiable, 2nd Special Catch, 3rd Full Shift <i>close up on outside, outpaced after 4 out, soon ridden, no impression with leaders from next, lost modest 4th flat</i>	134
08 Apr 17	Ain 25f Hcp Ch List Cls1 39K	Gd	11-2p1	7/16 43 len	Harry Skelton	8/1	1st Sizing Codelco, 2nd Rightdownthemiddle, 3rd Starchitect <i>with leaders early, chased leaders, ridden before 2 out, weakened before last</i>	138
25 Oct 16	Ban 20f Nov Ch Cls4 5K	Gd	10-12	1/4 1¼ len	Harry Skelton	evensf	1st <b>VALUE AT RISK</b> , 2nd Wishing And Hoping, 3rd Hunters Hoof <i>tracked leader, ridden to lead 2 out, clear before last, kept on well</i>	138
02 Oct 16	Utt 20f Ch Cls3 6K	Gd-Sft	11-4	4/6 12½ len	Harry Skelton	4/7f	1st Cottersrock, 2nd Ballycross, 3rd Bigbadjohn <i>led, ridden after 4 out, headed next, 4th and weakening last</i>	146
28 Mar 16	Fai 20f Hdl Gd2 Cls1 35K	Yl-Sft	11-3	1/8 1½ len	Harry Skelton	11/4f2	1st <b>VALUE AT RISK</b> , 2nd Marchese Marconi, 3rd Dedigout <i>tracked leader, led before 6th, slight mistake 3 out, ridden after 2 out, under pressure and kept on run-in</i>	144
11 Feb 16	Hun 20f Hcp Hdl Cls2 13K	Gd-Sft	11-6	2/13 2 len	Harry Skelton	9/2f2	1st Baoulet Delaroque, 2nd <b>VALUE AT RISK</b> , 3rd San Benedeto <i>led, not fluent and headed 2 out, soon driven, stayed on, no impression on winner towards finish</i>	139