

New Procedure for Securing the Main Gate during competitions and events

Effective immediately, the procedure described below will be used by all APRA clubs at the Homestead Range when locking the Main Gate into the open position.

Leaving the gate unsecured is not an option. **If the Main Gate is not secured by one of these latches, it must be in the closed and locked position.**

When the Match Director arrives at the Main Gate, all tabs will be up as shown in the image below.



The Match Director will open the gate and unlock the latch that has the club name and lock on it and lock the latch in the down position, ensuring that the latch has captured the Main Gate in the open position, as in the image below.



The next club that has a match or event that day will unlock and secure their latch, as described above, and secure their latch as in the image below.



All clubs may have a match on the same day, in which event all latches will be in the down and locked position.

As events end, the Match Director for the event will unlock the club-specific latch and lock it in the Open position, demonstrating that the match or event for that club has ended.

The last remaining locked latch will lock their latch in the open position and be responsible to secure the Main Gate in the closed position.



The West portion of the Main Gate has a positive latch as shown in the image above. Each Club will set their own policy regarding who has access to this new program.