



The Cerritos Girls Softball 8U All-Star Team members are: first row, from left—Amanda Lejano, Katie Valladao, Katie Tolmosoff, Janelle Gutierrez; second row—McKenna Pisciciotta, Heather Cameron, Sabrina Quarles, Madison Lee, Jennifer Iseri; third row—Vanessa Montonez, Melanie Okazaki, Morgan Nelson, Brianna Tautalafua; coaches—Ron Lejano, Brian Iseri, Wayne Nelson, Norman Okazaki, Craig Cameron, Leo Lina.

Tournament Toppers

The Cerritos Girls Softball 8U All-Star Team will be hosting a tournament at the Cerritos Sports Complex in Cerritos this weekend, and a win will make it three straight for the young squad.

The team has taken first place in tournament play each of the last two weeks. Over the Memorial Day weekend, the girls were in San Diego, playing in the Penasquitos Lightning Summer Classic All Star Tournament. There, they placed first by beating Placentia Yorba Linda, 4-1 in the finals.

This was the first time the Cerritos 8U team had ever won the championship in a tournament.

Over the weekend of June 3-4, the girls did it again, taking first at the Laguna Niguel Sea Country Classic All Star Tournament in the 8U division, beating Simi Valley, 2-0 in the finals.

To illustrate how well the girls are playing, they only allowed one run throughout the entire tournament. With play like that, there's a good chance they'll complete the hat trick this weekend.