



**COLTON MERCURYS  
SOFTBALL- BASEBALL TEAM  
1930's – 1970's**

The Colton Mercurys baseball team began in 1939 as a small group of young men who played in nearby city leagues, compiling a winning record. They were successful and went on to challenge many teams in the Inland Empire and the region. Their success even translated into a brief, 4 year stint, as a semi-professional team in the 1950's. The roster may have changed through the years, but the love of the game and commitment to their city remained consistent.

**NOTABLE TEAM MEMBERS**

Robert Rosales  
Socorro Rosales  
Ralph Martinez  
Charley Martinez  
Albert Martinez  
Teyo Duarte  
Willie Rueda  
Caesar Chavez  
Tony Garcia  
Mike Mercado  
David Beltran  
Albert Suchil  
Ernie Abril  
Manuel Abril  
Tony Hernandez  
Manager – Eddie Granville