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Swinging for the Nationals

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Amber Lee (left) celebrates her win. Photo provided

Amber Marie Lee, a sixth grader at Orinda Intermediate School, is aiming to compete at national tennis tournaments early next year. She is currently rated the No. 8 tennis player in the Northern California Section in the Girls' 12U category. The top eight players are eligible to compete at some national tournaments.

The weekend of Sept. 27-28, Lee competed at the Nor Cal Sectional Championships at the University of Pacific. The event is the highest tier tournament in the section. Lee was seeded No. 2 overall out of 64 competitors and she reached the finals, where she lost in three sets to the No. 1 seed.

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