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Radwanska, Cibulkova Post Straight-Set Wins During Monday's Action

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STANFORD, Calif. (www.BankOfTheWestClassic.com) – Seeded players Agnieszka Radwanska and Dominika Cibulkova booked straight-set victories on Monday night, highlighting the opening day of main draw singles play at the 2011 Bank of the West Classic.

Radwanska, the tournament's No. 5 seed, wasted little time in putting away Barbora Zahlavova Strycova 6-1, 6-2. A semifinalist in last year's event, Radwanska next faces Kai-Chen Chang, who took down crowd favorite and four-time Stanford All-American Hilary Barte by a 7-5, 6-4 count.

In the night session, eighth-seeded wildcard Cibulkova posted a 6-2, 7-6 (7) triumph over Kimiko Date-Krumm in her opening-round match. A quarterfinalist at the 2008 Bank of the West Classic, Cibulkova raced out to an early lead and held off a late charge from Date-Krumm.

Meanwhile, four of the eight seeded qualifiers won matches on Monday morning, punching their ticket to the 32-player main draw.

The 2011 Bank of the West Classic will be held from July 25-31. Tickets can be purchased by calling the box office at 866-WTA-TIXS (866-982-8497) or by logging on to www.BankoftheWestClassic.com. Single-session tickets for the tournament's opening round start at just \$26.

In addition to single-session tickets, fans can also purchase Daily Double passes to attend both the day and evening sessions for as little as \$45. Attendees may also pre-purchase parking passes for the event for just \$10.

The Bank of the West Classic, a WTA Premier event, is now in its 41st year and features a 28-player singles draw as well as a 16-team doubles draw. The event is owned and operated by IMG and serves as the opening women's event of the Olympus US Open Series.



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