

The Senior Bear hockey team starts off their home season with a pair of exhibition games against the University of Toronto Blues this weekend at Varsity Arena.

Somewhere in Edmonton, there are 6,000 people who remember last year's contests between these two clubs. The Blues won the CIAU quarter-finals here last year against the Bears in a hard-fought series and went on to win the national championship.

Coach Clare Drake feels that his players will be up for these two games in spite of the fact that they are exhibition

Toronto is an offensively minded club that features

hard-shooting defencemen, tough wingers and centers who don't hesitate around the net.

The Blues goaltending is something of an unknown factor. Two rookies, Jim Campbell, who worked out with the Blues last year but didn't see any league play, and Mike Brown, who spent the last two seasons with the St. Micheals Buzzers in the tough OHA Junior "B" League, are replacing Gary Innes and Bruce Durno from last year's team.

The Bears have just come off a successful trip to Jasper and Prince George where they bombed the Jasper Seniors 15-0 and disposed of the Prince George Seniors by scores of 4-1 and 7-1. Winger Steve McKnight, who has looked good in all games so far, showed his scoring punch with two hat tricks and a single in the weekend games. He was also a thorn in the side of the Blues last year.

The Golden Bear defence is

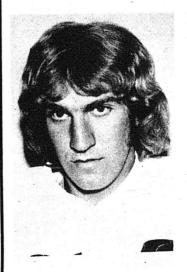
hockey. In his eight years with the Blues, he has led them to eight OUAA championships and seven National titles. He doesn't seem to be bored by the redundancy of his situation and will be out to do the same this

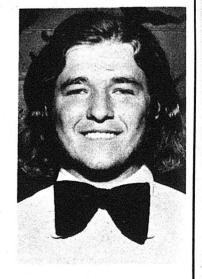
Come out and catch these games this weekend. They face-off Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. and Monday night at 8:30

There will be a charge of \$1 for students with cards, \$2 for adults, and \$.75 for children.

BEAR FACTS:....Clarence Wanchulak is out with stretched knee ligaments...Rick Wyrozub is still bothered by his leg injury...Oliver Steward is still recovering from a bout with pneumonia

Golden Bear Players of the Week





Offence Brian Fryer

Defense Gary Widynowski

Halfback Brian Fryer sparked Golden Bears' offence against Simon Fraser with two touchdowns on passes covering 74 and 91 yards. For the afternoon Fryer caught three passes for 165 yards and carried 12 times for 47 yards. The second year physical education student had a simple explanation for Bear's victory. Clansmen never had a chance because "We were so up for the game." Offensive tackle Jim Drummond is impressed with the way Fryer is developing as a football player. "Give him another year and he's going to tear up the league." As one of the leading ground-gainers in the WIFL he's not doing too badly this year. His speed makes him a threat to break any game open in one

Defensive halfback Gary Widynowski came off the bench in the second quarter to play a standout game against the Clansmen. The third year physical education student blocked one punt, partially blocked another and intercepted two passes to lead Bears in stopping an offensive unit that had scored 48 points the previous week. Speaking of his first interception which he picked off in Bears' end zone the five-foot-nine, 155 pound back said, "I should have had a touchdown but I wasn't fast enough." Widynowski like Fryer, felt that desire was a key to Alberta's victory, "I was told they were a good team and I sure wanted to beat them."

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