

# Rollie nose his job

by Bob Kilgannon

Often it's hard to notice Rollie Miles on the football field.

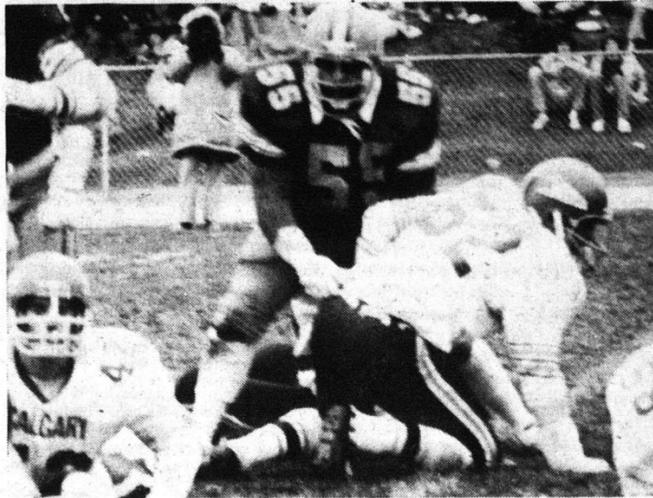
The St. Francis Xavier High School graduate is the Bears' noseguard. A position on the defensive line where he is usually being double-teamed or found at the bottom of the pile-up. That's not to suggest he doesn't play well, just that he plays in anonymity.

A lack of recognition by the fans doesn't bother Rollie, though. "I think I'm doing a good job and my teammates know what I'm doing," he said. "That's all that matters."

The rugged 22 year old has played a lot of positions throughout his career. At St. Francis Xavier he played defensive tackle and even some fullback in grade 12. In grade 11, while at Catalina High School in Tucson, Arizona, Rollie played noseguard. That was the only time before last year he had played the position.

After high school he moved on to the Edmonton Huskies. At five foot ten inches and two hundred and seventeen pounds, he held down a spot at defensive tackle.

In 1978, the son and namesake of Rollie Miles Sr., the former Eskimo star and CFL hall of famer, came to the Bears. They handed him an offensive



Rollie Miles (55) is a frustrated fullback.

playbook. "I thought great. He (coach Jim Donlevy) wants me to play fullback," said Miles. "Then I opened it up and it said 'offensive line'. I thought I was going to die." Rollie made the adjustment to the offensive line that year and played guard before moving over to noseguard last year.

Miles likes noseguard saying, "It's a good position...similar to a linebacker because you can flow up and down the line. It's different too because I'm getting double

teamed all the time."

The third year Golden Bear is noticed by his peers. Linebacker Dave Morris says that, "You can tell when Rollie is in there. He makes a lot of tackles."

Rollie has one position he really wants to play, though. That's fullback. "Fullback is my first love. I've never scored a touchdown and that's my ambition. If I score one, I'll do a great dance. I call it the Rollie wiggle."



photo Tom Freeland

These two budding Bruce Lee proteges were part of a recent Tae Kwon Do tourney at Kinsmen Fieldhouse. Martial arts clubs are becoming popular on the U of A campus.

## Thrust parry jab

Over 150 entries are expected in the eighth annual Wetterberg Open Fencing Tournament hosted this weekend by the University of Alberta. The event is named after retired U of A fencing coach Francis Wetterberg.

This year the addition of five Japanese fencers will add to what is already the largest fencing tournament in western Canada. Traditionally the competition is strong in all three events (foil, sabre and epee).

This summer the fencing program in Edmonton acquired the services of Zagmar Ioffe. The Russian fencing Master of Sport has been a medalist in Soviet championships and the Spartakiad. He currently coaches fencing at the U of A.

At one time fencing was an inter-collegiate sport in western Canada. Budget cutbacks in recent years have relegated it to a sports club status.

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The design competition for this logo or symbol is open to all residents of Alberta.  
First prize \$1000, Second prize \$350, Third prize \$150.

All entries must arrive not later than December 9, 1980 at 4 pm in the Office of Community Relations, 432 Athabasca Hall, University of Alberta, Edmonton T6G 2E8. (432-2325)

To be eligible for a prize all submissions must comply fully with the competition rules available from the above address.