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### A Chorus Line is Saved By the Bell With Slater!

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Hey preppie! *Saved by the Bell* beefcake Mario Lopez will be making his Broadway debut in the Schoenfeld Theatre's revival of *A Chorus Line*. Staring April 15, the guy formerly known as A.C. Slater from *Saved by the Bell* who made soccer moms swoon during his recent stint on *Dancing With the Stars*, will star as Zach, *A Chorus Lines* "rarely-seen director," according to *Playbill*. Mr. Lopez succeeds Michael Berresse, who originated the role of Zach in the Broadway revival of the popular backstage musical. A.C. fans with his *Tiger Beat*-like centerfold still on their wall are warned: he'll will be on hiatus from *A Chorus Line* May 11-June 3.

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