Kelley Blue Book Names Ford Mustang 'Best Redesigned Vehicle of 2005'

Ford Claims Top Honors for Redesign Two Years in a Row

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The editorial staff of Kelley Blue Book, (www.kbb.com) America's most trusted resource for new and used vehicle information, has reviewed all of the 2005 model year vehicles that underwent a significant redesign and today names the 2005 Ford Mustang, 'Best Redesigned Vehicle of 2005. While this is only the second year Kelley Blue Book has named a Best Redesign, Ford has claimed the honor both years, with the redesigned 2004 Ford F-150 and 2005's Mustang.

Kelley Blue Book's criteria for 'Best Redesigned Vehicle' is a vehicle that maintains its existing brand image, function and purpose, while taking the vehicle to the 'next level' in appearance, comfort, technology and convenience.

Kelley Blue Book Editorial Comments on 2005 Ford Mustang: Best Redesigned Vehicle of 2005

- * One of America's most legendary cars is still one of America's greatest values.
- * The 2005 Mustang is a great combination of retro and historic styling cues on a modern and contemporary vehicle.
- * The 2005 Mustang is a rejuvenation of Ford's soul.
- * The 2005 Mustang mixes the old and new making America's car desirable among all age groups.

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