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# GastroBeats Official Payments Solution Provider DCS Enables Festival–Goers to Eat, Drink, Shop, and Play Without Missing a Beat

DCS delivers a more seamless and rewarding end-to-end payments experience — from card issuing to merchant acquiring.

**Singapore, [May 26, 2025]** — Get ready to satisfy your cravings and experience GastroBeats 2025 like never before — because this year, DCS Card Centre is powering the festival from start to swipe.

As the Official Payments Solution Provider for GastroBeats 2025, DCS is enabling frictionless payments across all vendors, so visitors can focus on what matters most — food, music, games, and fun. From first–jobbers to Web3 communities, festival–goers can pay effortlessly with cards funded by fiat or stablecoins, enjoy instant rewards, and dive into a whole month of flavour and festivity with no friction.

DCS is re-inventing payments across borders and economies — in Singapore and around the world, across traditional finance and Web3, as a licensed card issuer and merchant acquirer — so that consumers and businesses can enjoy payments



without boundaries. This partnership with GastroBeats is backed by DCS's robust merchant network — accepting Visa, Mastercard, UnionPay, Diners, Discover, Alipay, WeChat Pay, and more — and reflects DCS's commitment to making everyday payments smarter, faster, and more inclusive.

"We're proud to support GastroBeats with a payment experience that's as seamless as the festival is exciting," said **Callistus Ong, Managing Director, Merchant Acquiring at DCS Card Centre**. "This partnership reflects how we're building a future where payments are not just fast and secure — but inclusive, intelligent, and built for how people live today."





## All Roads Lead to DCS Treasure Cove (Booth S05)

Amid the live music, mouthwatering bites, and family-friendly vibes, DCS invites festival-goers to its Treasure Cove — a pirate-themed booth packed with rewards, games, and surprises:

- Apply for the DCS Flex Visa Platinum Card at GastroBeats
  - Receive a Caterpillar industrial luggage (worth S\$320)\*
  - S\$5 Grab Dine Out voucher + 3 raffle tickets



#### • Apply for the DeCard Visa Card

- Instant approval
- S\$10 top-up\*, collectible DeCard gold coin, S\$100 referral bonus\*

#### Follow DCS on socials

- Redeem a collectible DeCard gold coin

#### • Play games

- Giant beer pong & and fast-hand challenge

\*Terms and conditions apply

### DCS Cardholders Enjoy Even More

Every DCS cardholder unlocks exclusive perks during the festival, including:

- Raffle tickets with eligible purchase win a brand-new BYD Atto3, air tickets, Bali resort staycations, and more
- GastroBeats merchandise redemption including a festival umbrella and mug
- Buy 2, Get 1 Free beer, stout, or cider at all drinks and bar points

"At GastroBeats, we believe a great festival experience should be effortless – just like a great meal or a great beat. That's why we're thrilled to have DCS on board as our Official Payments Solution Provider. With DCS powering seamless, secure, and inclusive transactions across the entire festival, our guests can immerse themselves in the flavours, fun, and festivity without missing a beat. From everyday



spenders to digital natives, DCS helps us deliver a people–first festival where everyone's invited to eat, play, and pay — their way," commented **Liyana Salman Morrison, General Manager, O4X (Singapore), Organisers of GastroBeats.** 

GastroBeats 2025 is The People's Festival — and with DCS, the people get more: more flavour, more fun, and more freedom to spend however they choose. Whether you're paying with cards, digital wallets, or stablecoin–funded solutions, DCS ensures your experience is smooth from the first bite to the last beat.

#### About DCS Card Centre

DCS Card Centre, a subsidiary of DCS Fintech Holdings, is a leading transformative financial institution, rapidly advancing its fintech capabilities. We envision a world where users everywhere can easily and confidently access funds and assets to meet their daily needs and life moments, while embracing a responsible digital lifestyle. Our mission is to reinvent the global financial infrastructure, making payments inclusive and ubiquitous for everyone.

With over 50 years of banking heritage, DCS is a MAS–regulated card issuer operating under the Banking Act and the pioneer of cashless payments in Singapore as Diners Club Singapore. Building on a regulatory–first foundation, we are setting new standards in digital commerce, including bridging traditional (TradFi) and Web3 ecosystems. DCS is uniquely positioned to deliver innovative, secure, and trusted borderless digital payment solutions through a safe, compliant, scalable, and interconnected financial platform for consumers and businesses alike.

#### **About GastroBeats**



GastroBeats is an immersive food and music festival that brings together culinary delights, live performances, and interactive experiences. A celebration of culture, creativity, and community, GastroBeats features a diverse range of food from renowned local hawkers to innovative chefs, alongside vibrant music performances from top artists. The festival goes beyond traditional events, integrating art installations, and family–friendly activities, creating a space where food lovers and culture enthusiasts can connect through the universal love of food, music, and shared experiences.

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