“The Story of A Greek God with a Bad Leg”

Temple of Hephaistos in Athens
The Birth of Athena

Red Figure Pelike by Painter of the Birth of Athena 470-480 BCE (London)

Black Figure Pixis by the C-Painter c. 570 BCE (Louvre)
Hephaistos & Thetis with Achilles Armor

Dutuit Painter  ca. 480 BCE
(Boston 13.188) (LEFT)

Foundry Painter 490-480 BCE
(Berlin 2294)

Hephaistos & Thetis with Achilles Armor
Parthenon (Athens) East Frieze
Seated: Athena & Hephaistos
The Return of Hephaistos to Olympos
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Ares kneels behind the throne

Hera sits on her throne
Behind Zeus (also seated)
Black Figure Frag. by Lydos, 6th Cent.
(New York)
Return of Hephaistos
Medea Group, amphora
c.520 BCE (Private Coll.)
Return of Hephaistos
Kleophon Ptr Toledo
Return of Hephaistos
By Kleophrades Painter
485-480 BCE (Louvre)
Return of Hephaistos - by Douris
c. 470 BCE (Bib. Nat. Paris)
Return of Hephaistos
Near the Hector Painter
Bell crater (Louvre)
Dionysos leads Hephaistos to Olympos
Crater Frag. by the Berlin Painter
500-470 BCE (Vatican, Rome)
Dionysos, Maenads, and Satyrs, by the Kleophrades Painter 500-450 BCE